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U.S. NAVAL TUG FOUNDERS OFF ATLANTIC COAST

RUSSIANS WILL FIGHT TO LAST DITCH THEY SAY

Revolutionists Will Defend Themselves, Says Official Dispatch

TEUTONS REFUSE TRUCE

Would Have Signed German Peace, but Germans Preferred to Continue

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 27.—The Russian revolution will defend itself against Germany, says an official Russian statement sent out by wireless and which announced that Germany had refused to grant an armistice.

The announcement says: "We are prepared to sign their peace of usurpation. We have already declared this, but there are many indications that the German imperialists do not desire peace at the present moment, but rather an immediate strangling of the workmen's and peasants' revolution. Resistance to the German hordes becomes the principal task of the revolution; brave, heroic, obstinate and pitiless resistance. Every position, every railway station, every locomotive must be defended. Every possible obstacle must be put in the way of the enemy."

Bag Two Russ Regiments (Associated Press Leased Wire.) Berlin, Feb. 27.—German troops advancing north of Dorpat yesterday captured two Russian regiments as they were retreating, the German general staff announced today.

VAST ARMY OF WOMEN IN STATE'S WAR WORK

Nearly 300,000 Fair Citizens Are Now Engaged

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

There are nearly 300,000 Illinois women engaged in war work either directly under supervision of the woman's committee of the State Council of Defense, or in co-operation with that committee, according to figures compiled by Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, chairman of the woman's committee. The approximate figures taken with those that are more precise give a total of 289,333.

Here is a list of the different organizations of the state supplying war workers and the number approximated in most cases of members engaged in such work: Eastern Star, 90,000; Daughters of the British Empire, 475; Woman's Board, Farmers' Institute, 20,000; Woman's Farm & Garden Association, 123; Illinois Congress of Mothers and Parents Teachers' Association, 20,000; Catholic Order of Foresters, 30,000; Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, 64,000; Federated Colored Women, 20,000; Colonial Dames, 60; Chicago Equal Suffrage Association, 750; Eleanor Association (not all working), 2,100; Home Preparedness League, 325; Catholic Woman's League, 900; Woman's War Aid, University of Chicago, 2,000; organizations forming Allied Relief, 4,000; Daughters of American Revolution, 5,000; Young Women's Christian Association, 12,000; Woman's Auxiliary, State Militia, 400; Woman's Church Federation, 800; Junior League, 1,000; Woman's Association of Commerce, 1,000; Daughters of the Flag, 12,000; National Kindergarten Association, 400; High School Teachers' Association, 2,000.

These figures represent about two-thirds of the membership of the organizations listed. Mrs. Bowen believes them to be a conservative estimate of the number of women from those organizations who are active in war work.

Ski in Land of Summer. Californians are not denied the winter sports of tobogganing, ski-running, sleighing and skating, but in order to enjoy them they are obliged to ascend into the Sierra Nevada, a mile above the coast and the central valleys. There, amidst the fragrant pine forests of the highlands, they enter into keen out-of-doors recreation with all the zest of people who see snow usually from a distance. The winter sports season at Truckee, near the summit of the Sierra, has become well established as an annual event.

BRINTON'S WORK VERY IMPORTANT

Captain Bradford Brinton, who has been transferred from Florida to Washington by the war department, finds increased responsibilities that go with his task at the capital. Capt. Brinton is in the quartermaster's department and has entire charge of the department that deals with the supply of automobiles, motor trucks, motorcycles and tractors for the U. S. army here and in Europe.

GRIFFITH APPOINTED LABOR ADMINISTRATOR

To Handle County Labor Problems During War

TO ASSIST FARMERS

The State Council of Defense Farm Labor Administration has appointed L. S. Griffith of Amboy Farm Labor Administrator for this county. This step has been taken in order that the county farm labor problem may be handled in the most satisfactory way during the remainder of the war.

The County Farm Labor Administrator is not prepared to take applications for farm hand positions and of farmers for farm help. In this way the County Farm Labor Administrator will act as a farm labor clearing house for farm labor.

Applications should be telephoned to Amboy 253, or sent by mail to the County Farm Labor Administrator at once.

All demands for farm positions which cannot be filled by the County Administrator will be forwarded to the state office where they will be cared for promptly. Should demand for help be in excess of applications for positions these demands will also be cared for by the state office, which will act as a state farm labor clearing house.

The State Farm Labor Administrator is in charge of Roy C. Bishop, for five years Farm Advisor for Livingston County, Ill. His knowledge of farm conditions in Illinois should make this administration of great value to the farmers of the state.

C. OF C. BAND MONEY FOR CONCERTS RAISED

MANAGEMENT OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BAND SAYS CONCERTS WILL START SOON

The management of the Chamber of Commerce Band announced today that its campaign for funds for the summer band concerts has been successful and that enough money has been raised to assure Dixon people of band music this summer. The band will play a concert every Friday evening, commencing as soon as the weather permits.

The Chamber of Commerce Band was organized two years ago by the Chamber of Commerce of Dixon and has been doing good work. One feature that has been appreciated is the service the band has rendered the G. A. R. in donating its services on Memorial day.

Legal Writicisms.

Stories from the law courts are apt to be good, legal wit being noted for its dryness. But this story claims no particular merit, except as showing the usefulness of a ready wit, observes the Christian Science Monitor. The counsel for the plaintiff was delivering an impassioned address. He was somewhat weighty in person, and happened to be leaning on a very old chair. In the middle of the torrent of eloquence, the chair gave way and the barrister lay on the floor in the midst of the wreckage. He got up and, unperturbed, pointing to the broken chair, said: "That proves the strength of my argument." The court smiled broadly, but laughed outright when the opposing counsel promptly replied: "The learned counsel's argument may be all that he claims for it, but it fell to the ground."

Pitying Ourselves.

Have you heard of the man carrying a load of sticks, who, when he became tired threw his sticks down on the bank of a river, and seating himself by them, said: "I am sick and tired of this. I wish death would come to relieve me?" Instantly Death slipped up and said, "Here I am, what do you want of me?" "I want you to help me put this bundle of sticks on my back again," said the surprised man. Pitying ourselves is cheating ourselves. Then flee from discontent and discouragement, for they are the hotbeds of deceit. Near them we think that which is not true, and say that which we do not mean.—Exchange.

NO RED CROSS BOOTH AT ALLIED BAZAAR IN DIXON, SAYS OFFICIAL

Headquarters Tells Local Chapter They Cannot Take Part

CUT OUT DUPLICATION

The following statement was given out today by L. D. Pitcher, Secretary of the Lee County Chapter of American Red Cross:

The Lee County Chapter of the Red Cross will not have a booth at the Allied Bazaar, as information was received from the Chicago headquarters of the American Red Cross this morning to the effect that the Red Cross is not allowed to participate in any movement of the kind which is not entirely under the jurisdiction of Red Cross officials and the Red Cross not being a part of, nor in any way connected with, the Council of National Defense, will prevent its having anything to do officially with the bazaar.

The information was also received that the Red Cross had caused to be issued by the National Council of Defense at Washington a statement to the State Councils of Defense telling just what the Red Cross functions were and advising the various Councils of Defense to notify their workers, in order that there would be no duplication of Red Cross activities.

CANNED GOODS MUST BE SAVED FOR ARMY

GOVERNMENT ASKS CANNERS TO HOLD CANNED FOOD FOR USE OF SOLDIERS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Feb. 27.—All canners were advised today by the food administration to hold for war purposes, until further advised, all canned corn, peas, tomatoes, string beans and salmon now on hand.

Reports of such holdings must be made at once, separate from those to be submitted before March 15. Quantities not wanted will be released immediately.

Reassurance to housekeepers that the government has no intention of commandeering any canned goods or stocks of provisions kept for family use was given today in placards that the food administration will distribute broadcast. The placards were headed, "Do not be fooled by the lies of the enemy."

FORMER DIXON MAN IS CALLED

Will Suggitt, secretary of Dixon lodge I. O. O. F., this morning received a telegram from the secretary of the lodge at Auburn, N. Y., stating that J. W. Kent, a former member of Dixon lodge, had passed away at the home of his son, E. E. Kent, in that city. No further details concerning the death or funeral were given in the telegram and they are expected in a letter which the New York man stated would follow. Mr. Kent for many years conducted a gun and bicycle repair shop on Galena avenue in this city.

REED FUNERAL TOMORROW MORN

The funeral of Arlen Reed, who passed away early yesterday morning at the home of his mother, Mrs. D. O. Reed, 518 Second street, will be held at the house at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, Rev. E. C. Lumsden, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The remains will be taken to Ashton on the 11 o'clock train, where burial will take place at the Washington Grove cemetery.

HUNDREDS DIE IN STAND COLLAPSE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 27.—In the collapse of the Chinese public stands at the Hong Kong Jockey Club races Tuesday, 100 women and children were trampled to death, according to a Reuters dispatch from Hong Kong. Fire broke out and several hundred others were burned to death.

ILL AT HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Mary Rosbrook is ill at the Sterling hospital, where she went for training some months ago. Her mother was called to Sterling Monday by news of her illness.

HAVE BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Gould Bryan of McAllister, Okla., are the parents of a baby girl, Mrs. Bryan was formerly

HOW DRAFT HIT INDUSTRY IN TOWNSHIPS OF LEE COUNTY

The following table compiled from the records of the Local Board for Lee County shows how the various townships in the county were hit by the draft and the number of men drawn from the industries as between farming and other occupations. These figures include the 28 men sent in the contingent which went to Camp Grant on last Monday:

Town	Total Men Sent to National Army.	Farmers.	Other Occupations
Alto	3	0	3
Amboy	8	5	3
Ashton	12	2	10
Bradford	1	1	0
Brooklyn	10	7	3
China	10	3	7
Dixon	60	6	54
East Grove	0	0	0
Hamilton	2	0	2
Harmon	0	0	0
Lee Center	4	3	1
May	1	1	0
Marion	8	7	1
Nachusa	1	1	0
Nelson	5	3	2
Reynolds	4	4	0
Sublette	6	6	0
South Dixon	2	2	0
Palmyra	2	2	0
Viola	0	0	0
Wyoming	7	2	5
Willow Creek	5	4	1
	151	61	90

WANT NAMES OF ALL LEE COUNTY MEN WHO ARE IN WAR SERVICE

Hundreds of Names Already In—Every Name in Lee County Wanted on List

SEND NAME IN NOW

Since the appeal of THE TELEGRAPH for names of Lee County boys in the army or navy of the United States, hundreds of names of local boys in the service have come in to us, but the list is still incomplete, and we wish to ask again that any one who has a relative or a friend in the service, in any branch, and whose name has not already been turned in to THE TELEGRAPH, send it in at once, with complete address, telling what branch of the service, what regiment, what company and what post office address.

This list of Lee County's Honor Men should be complete, and the name of no one who is in the service should be left off of it. It will be a matter of history in the glorious part Lee County has taken in the world fight to make men free, and it will mean present and future recognition of the part your own boy took in the war if you will send in his name now.

CHICKEN THIEF BEING SOUGHT

Residents on Dixon avenue are laying for a chicken thief who has been looting the hen-coops. Other things besides the chickens have been stolen and that territory is liable to become extremely unhealthy for the thief if he keeps it up. The price of chickens and eggs makes poultry very valuable and no one is liable to lose chickens without making an effort to prevent it.

RAIDER WOLF'S TOLL OF DEATH

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Berlin, Feb. 27.—The German raider Wolf, which has returned to a home port after raiding entente shipping in the Pacific Ocean, destroyed at least 35 vessels, it was officially announced.

Some of the steamships, it is stated, were loaded with English troops and the sinking, therefore, caused a corresponding loss of human life.

ICE IS MOVING

The ice started moving out of the south channel of Rock River above the dam at Dixon this afternoon and the river was full of floating cakes. The ice was moving freely.

TO MOVE ON FARM.

George Frerichs, the Dementtown tailor, expects to close out his business and move to a farm near Stone Station.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Francis G. Chessman to Anna Chessman qcd \$1 pt lot 4 blk 45 Dixon.

B. J. Ackland to John W. Ackland wd \$5980 nwqneq 15 Viola.

THE WEATHER

Wednesday, Feb. 27

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Rain tonight and Thursday, probably turning to snow by Thursday night in north and west portions; colder Thursday and Friday.

Sunday 57 28
Monday 56 25
Tuesday 39 19

GERMANS TORPEDO BRITISH HOSPITAL SHIP IN CHANNEL

Glenart Castle Was Sent to Bottom Yesterday—No Patients Aboard

200 MEN IN THE CREW

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 27.—According to the Exchange Telegraph Company, 164 persons are missing from the Glenart Castle.

London, Feb. 27.—The British hospital ship Glenart Castle was sunk yesterday in the Bristol Channel, it is officially announced. There were no patients on board. Survivors were landed by an American torpedo boat. Eight boats are still afloat.

The Glenart Castle, 6807 tons gross and 440 feet long, was built at Belfast in 1906.

Swansea, Wales, Feb. 27.—34 survivors of the Glenart Castle have been landed here. The number of persons on board is said to have been 200.

BOARD IS BUSY FILLING CARDS

The principal work being performed at the headquarters of the Local Board for Lee county just now is the filling out of the occupational cards required by the war department. The teachers of the Dixon schools are putting in their time after school and in the evening, and Abram Ackert of this city has been working faithfully each day assisting the officials in the work.

Dr. Bokhof of the Local Board gave a physical examination to Noble Hanson of Kane, Ill., who is registered with the Lee County Board, today. He pronounced him fit for service.

MASTER'S SALE BETTNER FARM

Master in Chancery Mark Keller and States Attorney Harry Edwards were in Compton yesterday conducting the Master's sale of the Bettner estate farm near Malugin's Grove. The farm was purchased by August and William Bettner for \$130.50 per acre.

ELLISON MADE BIG HIT HERE

Glenn Ellison, the versatile Scotch entertainer, who appeared in recital at the opera house last evening, scored a decided hit with an audience of over 600 people who had accepted invitations to the affair. Mr. Ellison possesses a strikingly pleasing baritone and his tests with the instrument were astonishing. In every way the recital was a great treat for those who attended.

DR. DORNBLASER BETTER.

Dr. E. A. Sickels went to Amboy yesterday to see Dr. Dornblaser, upon whom he operated for appendicitis, and he reports the Amboy physician to be much better.

IN TRAINING SCHOOL.

Miss Dorothy Harkins has entered the Katherine Shaw Bethea Hospital Training School for Nurses.

SENT NEARER TO THE FRONT

Captain Frank Hogan, whose promotion has been very rapid since seeing service in France, in a letter to his mother, dated February 6, states that he had just received orders to go up near the front and act as regulating officer. Friends in Dixon are much interested in Captain Hogan's advancement, as such a position indicates the confidence placed in him by his superior officers, and feel quite sure that he will "put it over" with honor.

GERMAN TROOPS NEAR PETROGRAD

Fall of Russian Capital Is Imminent—U. S. Envoy Leaves.

SOVIET ARMIES RESIST FOE

Reds Fight Teutons at Pskov, Which Has Changed Hands Several Times—Bolshevik Move Headquarters.

London, Feb. 27.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Petrograd reports that there has been a disagreement in the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates regarding the evacuation of Petrograd, and that the retirement of Leon Trotsky, the bolshevik foreign minister, is imminent.

Washington, Feb. 27.—News of the capture of Petrograd by the German military forces now advancing rapidly toward the Russian capital (if it has not already been taken) is hourly expected.

The state department announced the receipt of a cablegram from David R. Francis, the American ambassador at Petrograd, which said that, while the bolsheviks had agreed to the German peace terms, the Germans were continuing to advance rapidly into Russia.

Ambassador Francis's message was sent Monday afternoon, and stated that at that time the German forces were within eight hours of the capital.

Envoy Believed Out of City.

Ambassador Francis informed the department that he was leaving Petrograd immediately "if he can." This was interpreted as meaning that by this time the ambassador was well on his way eastward.

The envoy said that he was leaving with the diplomatic representatives of Japan, China and Siam.

Reds Fight for Pskov.

London, Feb. 27.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says:

"That resistance to the German advance is growing is shown by the reports of fighting which continues in the vicinity of Pskov, 160 miles southwest of Petrograd. This town has changed hands several times. The German detachments which first entered Pskov were very small, but they have since been re-enforced."

"There is a general belief that the Germans are moving forward hastily because supplies of ammunition worth 400,000,000 rubles (\$206,000,000) are concentrated in the neighborhood of Pskov. The Russians, however, are taking measures to guard the railway and are sending more Soviet troops to Pskov."

Later advices say that the Soviet armies are now everywhere resisting the invaders.

The capture of Pskov by the Germans was announced in the official statement issued at Berlin.

Red Headquarters Moved.

The bolshevik headquarters have been transferred from the Smolny institute in Petrograd to a military camp, according to another Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd, dated Monday.

At this camp the workmen of the city are assembling en masse, carrying red banners and fighting detachments are being formed continually.

It is reported that the council of people's commissaries, which forms the bolshevik governing body, has decided to remain at the Smolny institute, although the military activities have been shifted elsewhere.

Germans Take Kolenkowitz.

Berlin, Feb. 27.—General von Linsingen's forces, operating in Volhynia, have captured the town of Kolenkowitz by storm, the German general staff announced.

Petrograd Entrenches.

Petrograd, Feb. 27.—Blaring sirens awoke sleeping Petrograd, signifying to the inhabitants that the Germans had entered Pskov. The blasts of the whistles also served as a summons to begin digging trenches for the defense of the capital.

CHEROKEE, NAVY TUG, SUNK, MANY BELIEVED LOST

British Steamer Brings in Ten Bodies of Crew and Ten Survivors

CARRIED ABOUT 40 MEN

Rescue Ships Answered S. O. S., but Found No Trace of Craft

BULLETIN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) St. Johns, New Foundland, Feb. 27.—Men who boarded the wrecked Red Cross liner Florizel today reported there was no living person aboard. The bodies of five men and a woman were recovered.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The naval tug Cherokee foundered yesterday off Fenwick Island Lightship, 22 miles south of the Delaware Capes. Survivors are being taken to Philadelphia.

One report to the navy says that ten survivors already have been landed at some point on the coast. Normally the Cherokee carried about 40 men.

Ten Dead—Ten Saved.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—The British steamship Admiral, anchored in the Delaware off the League Island navy yard this morning. The state quarantine station 17 miles below Philadelphia reported over the telephone that the Admiral had signalled as she passed up that she had aboard ten survivors and the bodies of ten of the crew of the Cherokee. A wireless call for help from the Cherokee was received yesterday morning and a navy coast patrol searched all day in a 50 mile gale for the distressed tug. It was supposed that passing vessels had picked up the survivors. On trace of the tug was found.

The Cherokee was 120 feet long and was taken over by the government last October. Two of the eleven members of the Cherokee rescued died soon after being taken aboard a British tank steamer which responded to the sinking ship's S. O. S. call, according to officers of an American steamship which arrived today at New York.

DAVIS ACCEPTS Y. M. C. A. SECRETARYSHIP

HYDE PARK MAN WILL SUCCEED DERKINDEREN MIDDLE OF NEXT MONTH

Allen W. Davis, assistant secretary of the Hyde Park, Ill., Y. M. C. A., has accepted the invitation of the Dixon Y. M. C. A. to come here as secretary to succeed Mr. Der Kinderen, who started on his way to France.

Mr. Davis will assume his duties here about March 15. He is married and has one child, and will move his family to Dixon very soon.

Until the new secretary arrives in Dixon, Harry Major, physical director at the local Y. M. C. A., will act also as secretary.

The directors of the Dixon Y. M. C. A. are extremely pleased that Mr. Davis has accepted the position in Dixon. He is a very capable man and has a splendid record in Y. M. C. A. work. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois.

SIGNALS FROM WRECKED SHIP

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) St. Johns, Newfoundland, Feb. 27.—Rescue steamers were ordered today to investigate a report received here today that signals from the Red Cross liner Florizel, wrecked Sunday morning near Cape Race, indicated that persons were alive on the vessel.

PLAY LAST GAME.

The last game of the season for the basketball team of the North Dixon high school will be played tonight with the Y. M. C. A. team at the Y. The girls' team of North Dixon and the young ladies' team of the Y will play the preliminary game.

PATIENTS RECOVERING

Reports from the hospital are to the effect that Mrs. Peter Gigoux of the Polo and Miss Marie Madden of this city, who recently submitted to operations, are very much improved and are out of danger.

SALES MAY COME AND SALES MAY GO, BUT SALES LIKE THIS ONE IS VERY SELDOM STAGED

Berry's loaded to the guards with thousands of dollars worth of Spring and Winter Merchandise; am going to sacrifice this entire stock. It will be a headlong sacrifice from start to finish, a sale that will make this store the shopping center for all purchasers; wants everybody to know that A. S. Berry has purchased two large stocks amounting to \$10,000 and is going to throw them to the mercy of the public at 25c on the dollar. We are going to the limit in price cutting, using drastic methods to make a grand clean up. A rapid selling event that will make the skeptical people in this vicinity sit up and take notice.

Entire Stock Involved!

Nothing Reserved!

Goodbye Forever!

TO HALF THIS STOCK

WE ARE FORCING IT OUT REGARDLESS
COME AND BE CONVINCED.



THESE WILL GO LIKE SUGAR

One large lot of Men's Four in Hand Ties and Mufflers, in assorted patterns and designs, Ties and Mufflers to match, all \$1.50 values, but out they go at.....75c

Finest Marquette Curtain Goods
—75c to \$1.00 value.....50c
Also wonderful values, 8c to 39c

WATCH ME SELL WINTER CAPS

—at Less Than Wholesale
Entire stock of Men's and Boys' Winter Caps that always sold at \$1.00 and \$1.50, to go in two grand lots at . . . 39c and 69c

Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers, regular \$1.50 values, now89c

Men's fleeced Shirts and Drawers, regular \$1 values, at59c

The "BIG CHIEF" says he is going to cause a sensation in the Men's Suit Department, and if he doesn't, it will be no fault of his, for this special lot of Men's Suits are all Worsteds and Tweeds, all sizes to choose from, values up to \$15.00....

\$9.75

Ladies' Cloaks, Broadcloths, Plush, Etc.

Wash Skirts, just in, values to \$5.00, at . . . 98c to \$1.48

FOR A WOMAN'S EYE

Children's Wool Dresses, regular \$5 values, at\$1.98
Three large lots of Laces, at, per yard1c, 2c and 7c

One large bin full of No. 200 Ribbon, assorted colors, at, yard, 15c
Thousands of other articles too numerous to mention, but come FRIDAY.

BERRY SAYS: "CLEAN THE TABLES OF ALL MEN'S TROUSERS"

This will include over 1,500 pairs of Men's Trousers that I bought for my spring trade months ago, but as I need the room for other merchandise that is on the road, they now have their walking orders. These are all \$6 and \$7 values in Corduroys, Worsteds, Cashimeres, Kerseys and Cheviots, to go at....

.....\$1.98 to \$3.50
One large assortment of Corduroys and Heavy Cashimeres all grouped in one lot to go at....\$1.98

JUST WHAT YOU NEED

Just received a very large stock of NOVELTIES, NECKWEAR, COLLARS, BAGS and FANCY GOODS, ETC., in fact the largest line in the State of Illinois.

But out they all go at a fraction of their wholesale cost.

COME EARLY FRIDAY

The end of some new \$6.00

GEORGETTE AND CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS

They came at a clearance time and have to be included, so new as can be, they MUST go, and will, at\$2.98

We have over 1,000 Ladies' White Waists that just arrived last week, all \$3.00 values, but out they go in two grand lots, at,

50C AND 69C

BE HERE! GET HERE! COME!

BE HERE SATURDAY

SALE OPENS FRIDAY, MCH. 1, at 9 a. m. Come Expecting Bargains

CLOTHING

All Men's Winter Suits and Overcoats to go at less than Manufacturers' cost. Men's all wool Serge Suits, sold as high as \$18.00 to be cleaned out at less than cost.

Men's Heavy Overcoats for Fall and Winter Wear, values to \$25.00, to go at\$12.50

RAIN COATS

All 300 Men's and Ladies' Raincoats, at \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$5.98; values up to \$10.

Here they are; Miss them If You Dare. Hurry Scurry Prices on All Articles

Famous Monarch Coffee, lb.26c
Berry's Big Leader Coffee, 5 lbs.\$1
Japanese Tea, lb.39c
We carry over a ton of fish.
Iceland Herring, lb.13c
Gaffelberters, lb.15c
Russian Sardines, lb.15c
Pickled Rolled Mops, lb. 17c
Salt Salmon, lb.17c

Pickled Tripe, lb.8c
Pickled Pigs' Feet, lb.10c
Hams, lb.24c
Bacon Butts, lb.32c
Navy and Lima Beans, lb.17c
Eckwheat, New York, lb.10c
Kream Krist, lb.25c
Flat Salmon, large can. 20c

Hershey's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. 19c
Argo Starch, 5-lb. box .29c
Good Brooms69c
Large Clothes Baskets .39c
Fibre Tubs, large size \$1.50
No. 1 size cans Apricots and Peaches12c
No. 3 size Apricots and Peaches19c
No. 2 size Corn, Peas or Tomatoes12 1/2c

No. 1 size Mustard Sardines11c
Oil Sardines8c
Calumet or K. C. Baking Powder, lb.20c
Finest Olives, qt.25c
Corn Flour, lb.8c
No. 2 size Gooseberries .10c
No. 3 size Beets10c
Large Bar Ivory Soap .10c
Small Bar6c

Toilet Paper, 8 rolls.25c
Crystal White and Maple City Soap, cake.5c
New Orleans Molasses, 3 cans25c
Karo Syrup, gal.75c
Rice that's good, lb. 9c & 11c
Rolled Oats, lb.7c
Dried Peas, lb.10c
Red Beans, lb.11c

Skinner's Macaroni, Spaghetti and Noodles, 3 pkgs.25c
Hominy, lb.7c
California Sardines .19c
Red Beans, can.10c
Health Bran15c
Searchlight Matches, box, 5c
Sunbrite Cleanser, can. 4c
Lima Beans, can.10c

Pure Catsup, can.10c
Large assortment Cookies, lb.17c
Shredded Wheat, Grape Nuts, Quaker Rice and White12 1/2c
Special price on Wooden Ware, Paint and Varnishes, Brushes, Oil Cans, Cutlery, Chair Seats, Crockery, etc.

No. 3 cans Hominy .10c
Chocolates, Bon Bons, lb 19c
Corn Flakes, pkg.7c
Sauer Kraut, qt.11c
Dried Peaches, lb.15c
Dried Apricots, lb.15c
Dried Prunes, lb. 10c & 15c
Black Pepper, lb.35c
Cheese, lb.28c
Raisins, lb.12c

THREE GREAT BARGAINS FOR FRIDAY

Rubbers

500 pairs Ladies' First Quality Wizard Rubbers, 59c pair

Ladies' Shoes

Odds and Ends Ladies' small size Shoes, 69c and 98c

Table Linen

Standard \$1.00 Table Linen, 69c

SHOES

Over 1,000 pairs of Men's Dress and Work Shoes in button and lace—all sizes and widths—in black and tan, all \$4.00 values to go at . \$2.98
Thousands of other pairs of Men's Work and Dress Shoes to be sold from\$1.98 to \$2.50
So come early and get first choice.

I'LL MAKE WOMEN'S SHOES TROT OUT

One lot of Women's Comfort and Dress Shoes, sold at \$6 to \$8, but they must be all sold in the next few days, your choice, at from\$1.50 to \$4.00

WE'RE GIVING the BEST VALUES FOR YOUR MONEY YOU EVER HAD, SO STEP LIVELY

HAVOC HAS HIT THE PRICES

In this lot there are over 2,000 pairs of Sample Shoes, bought a month ago, at less than 40c on the dollar. This includes Shoes for nearly every member of the family and will be displayed on the right wing of the store at less than factory cost. So come early and get your share of these bargains.

Barry's Bazaar, A. S. BERRY

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SOCIETY

COMING EVENTS

Wednesday
Mrs. Rowe's M. E. Sunday School Class, Mrs. Ludeking, 224 Galena Ave.
Christian Aid, Mrs. Geo. Prescott.

Thursday
W. C. O. F. Meeting, K. C. Hall.
Auxiliary, U. C. T., Mrs. Mozealous at Dixon Inn.
Baptist Industrial Dept., Mrs. G. W. Stoddard.
Unity Guild, Mrs. Weibezahn.
Mrs. Worsley's Section, M. E. Aid.
Mrs. F. X. Newcomer.

Friday
Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., Masonic Hall.

Saturday
D. A. R. Meeting, Misses Murphy, 409 Second St.

At Cards.
Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Glyckle entertained Tuesday evening with four tables of 500. Mrs. Ray Cramer had the highest score and was given the head prize. Mrs. Louis Schumm was consoled. Very attractive and delectable refreshments were served by Mrs. Glyckle.

To Entertain.
Miss Ruth Worthington will entertain at dinner this evening the following: Misses Seville Crawford, Mary Louise Fuller, Katherine Owens, Esther Stitzel, Helen Eaton, Loraine Hopper, Esther Winn, Katherine Roper of Forreston, John Fitzsimmons, Richard Haley, Edward Mahan and Willard Jones.

Chicken Pie Supper.
Mrs. James McBride of East Grove visited Dixon Tuesday. She is chairman of the Allied Bazar committee for that township and is meeting with great success in soliciting. Tuesday evening the Knitting club will give a chicken pie supper at East Grove church and all proceeds will be donated to the bazar. Mrs. Homer Parsons is chairman of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense for that township.

Bazar Supper.
Saturday evening, March 2, the Lady Foresters will give a supper at K. C. hall. The proceeds will go to the Allied Bazar. A very good supper will be served.

Social Service Notes.
The social service committee of the woman's committee, C. N. D., in pursuance of its object of being helpful at home, has found a needy woman in need of a boiler and can nicely use a second hand one, so if anyone has such an article not in use the committee will be grateful if notified by calling Phone 34. Another woman would gladly do plain sewing, and those who have such work should also call No. 34. Practical nursing would be undertaken by another woman. The committee is also in need of a desk of any description and will gladly call for it.

Mrs. Arvene S. Hyde, who has been spending the winter with her son Harold in Minneapolis, has gone to Duluth, Minn., to visit Mrs. Philip Hyde. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hyde are moving to Grand Rapids, Mich., where Mr. Hyde has been transferred by his company to a very responsible position. His wife will spend this week in Fulton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Baldwin.

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Junior Play Friday.

The play to be given Friday evening by the Juniors of the North Dixon High school, "And Home Came Ted," promises, through frequent rehearsals, to be well given. The hour for the performance, which is to be given at the opera house, is 8:15. The cast follows:

Cast of Characters.
Skeet Kelley, Clerk...Cedric Fulton
Diana Garwood, Helress...Katherine Owens
Miss Loganberry, Spinster...Hazel Beckingham
Dr. Stone, Villain...Earl Fruin
Aunt Jubilee, Cook...Arlene Schrock
Mr. Man, the Mystery...Mark Smith
Jim Ryker, Lawyer...Sidney Elchier
Mollie Macklin, Housekeeper...Mollie Duffy
Henrietta Darby, Widow...Josephine Watts
Ted, the Groom...Charles Anderson
Elsie, the Bride...Louise Moline
Sen. McCorkle, the Father...Charles Ramsey

Synopsis:
Place—Office and reception room of the Rip Van Winkle Inn, in the Catskill Mountains.
Act I.—An afternoon in April.
What Happened to Ted?
Act II.—The same night.
Who Was the Burglar?
Act III.—The next morning.
Who Was Mr. Man?

Business Staff.
Business Manager...Robert Knox
Advertising Manager...Cedric Fulton
Music...Charles Anderson
Properties...Hazel Ross
Stage settings donated for use by the kindness of Dixon business firms.
Music furnished by the Triangle Orchestra.

At C. N. D. Rooms.
The Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at the Council of National Defense rooms Thursday afternoon.

Farewell Party.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunphy of Walton were honored recently by a surprise party participated in by fifty of their friends, given as a farewell, inasmuch as Mr. and Mrs. Dunphy will soon leave for their new home in Harmon. The host and hostess, upon the arrival of the company, were too astonished to voice their feelings, but extended the guests the freedom of the house and games were soon underway. Music also added to the enjoyment. Another surprise was given the hosts when Henry Fischer, in behalf of the guests, presented them with a handsome mahogany rocker as a token of the regard in which the neighbors hold them. At midnight a most tempting luncheon was served. The regret felt at losing Mr. and Mrs. Dunphy from their midst was expressed by all in leaving for their homes.

At C. N. D. Rooms.
The rooms of the woman's committee, Council of National Defense, present a busy appearance as the time draws near for the Allied Relief bazar. Henry Kenneth, in charge of the men's committee; Ward Miller, head of the entertainment committee; Edw. Voile, chairman of the decoration committee; Timothy Sullivan, who looks after the dancing, and Geo. Dixon, of the publicity, all are busy in their respective departments. Miss Dorothy Armstrong is looking after the work of the Dixon high school pupils in connection with the bazar and Miss Helen Brown has that work in charge on the north side.

Visiting Parents.
Horton C. Godfrey arrived Tuesday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Godfrey.

Choir Supper.
The members of the Methodist choir are planning a pleasant time for Thursday evening when a scramble supper will be held at the church at 6:30 o'clock. A number of those who have assisted the choir at different times will be honorary guests at the supper.

Entertained.
Percy W. Busby entertained a few friends with a three course supper on Monday evening in honor of Dan McKenney, who spent a few days here. After supper the guests were entertained with mandolin solos by Niles Palmer, accompanied by Miss Frances Busby on the piano. Mrs. Albertine McKenney favored the company with a number of readings, given in her usual pleasing style. Dan McKenney then related experiences at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., where he is stationed and to which places he has returned. He spoke of work at the fort in high praise. His experiences were interesting to all, especially to Harley Swarts and Russel May, who are in class 1, subject to the next call. The company again enjoyed several numbers by Mr. Palmer and Miss Busby. At a late hour several flashlights were taken and the guest left wishing Daniel the best of success in his military career.

Civic League Meeting.
The Civic League will hold a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Friday at 7:30 p. m. Rev. E. C. Lumsden will speak on the National Anti-Saloon League convention held at Washington, D. C., and E. E. Richardson, state industrial secretary of the Anti-Saloon League, will also speak. All patriotic citizens are invited to attend.

On Pleasure Drive.
Misses Marcella Bremer and Ruth Kerz and Messrs. Fred Enichen and Joseph Villiger drove to Franklin Grove Sunday.

You'll be disappointed if you miss it, so don't be disappointed. Get your tickets now for the Junior play at the opera house Friday, March 1st.

W. R. C. Notes.

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. was held Monday afternoon with a large attendance. It was voted that the corps should meet at the Red Cross rooms for work on Friday afternoon. All who can should make a special effort to help at these meetings. Final arrangements were made for the bakery booth at the C. N. D. bazar next Saturday. The booth will be in charge of Mesdames Stackpole, Eastman and Platten.

The following circular letter was read:
"Dixon W. R. C. contributed \$100 to the Ambulance Fund, Department of Illinois, Woman's Relief Corps, sends ten ambulances to our soldiers in France."

Illinois Woman's Relief Corps, Auxiliary to the G. A. R., sent \$4000 and today sent \$2225 with which ten Ford ambulances were purchased, fully equipped, insured and transported to the American Red Cross in France. Each ambulance bore a brass plate with the name of our order inscribed thereon. On Aug. 15, 1916, the appeal was issued from the department headquarters to raise an emergency fund with which to purchase an ambulance to send to our soldiers in France through the American Red Cross as a New Year's gift from the Illinois W. R. C., but the response was so generous that the order in Illinois has sent ten ambulances instead of one, the total sum raised being \$6,344.85. There are 190 corps in the state and all but nine contributed. The money was not taken from the general fund but was raised expressly for this purpose.

The press correspondent reports that most of the corps of Illinois are becoming Red Cross units and have donated large sums of money for the Red Cross, beside many hours of labor in the work rooms. They also assisted the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense in registration of women, have subscribed to Liberty Loan, done patriotic work in the schools and churches throughout the state.

Truly the W. R. C. in the present crisis is living up to its name as a patriotic order of loyal women, for each corps has done work for its own enlisted men and men of the national army, and feels it is worthy to be called the True Auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Farewell Party.
A farewell party was given Monday evening in honor of Loraine Hopper, who leaves soon for Champaign, and for Seville Crawford, who expects to go soon to New Orleans with her parents. After gathering at the home of Mary Louise Fuller, where refreshments were served, a theatre party was formed; later the guests were entertained at the home of Esther Stitzel at a late dinner. Those participating: Loraine Hopper, Seville Crawford, Mary Louise Fuller, Esther Stitzel and friends from Forreston and Sterling.

W. C. O. F. Meeting.
A meeting of the Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters will be held Thursday evening in Knights of Columbus hall.

Tickets to The Spy.
Mrs. M. D. Grimes, chairman and treasurer of the Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle benefit, asks that all persons holding unsold tickets for "The Spy," to be presented Thursday afternoon and evening at the Family theatre, should leave them by noon on Thursday at Sterlings', Campbell's or Brenner's, otherwise responsibility for the money represented by these tickets will be placed on the holder, as the issue of tickets has not met the demand with many sellers. The money will be used largely for the benefit of Co. G boys.

The committee of Ladies of the G. A. R. congratulate the Knights of Columbus on the attitude taken in war work in that the Knights evidently do not believe in the phrase "Let the women do (all) the work," and trust that the benefit dance this evening at K. C. hall for the boys of Camp Grant will be a great success. When the wives, mothers and sisters of the soldiers have perfected the organization of "War Mothers," the rest of the women feel that they can be released for Red Cross work and food conservation. Working in unison much may be accomplished.

Celebrates 75th Birthday.
Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20, a number of friends of Mrs. Rebecca Perrine stole a march on her, completely surprising her on the occasion of her 75th birthday. The guests began to arrive by ones and twos, but Mrs. Perrine thought nothing of a few callers, until the number became

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so numerous she finally realized they were there in honor of her birthday. The afternoon was spent in chat concerning the happy past and critical present. At 4 o'clock announcement was made that refreshments would be served at the home of Mrs. Perrine's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Drenner, who lives next door. After the seating of the guests Mrs. Gertrude Tschopp, in behalf of the company, presented Mrs. Perrine with a beautiful basket bearing 75 carnations. Mrs. Perrine in her delightful manner thanked the friends. After Mrs. Louise Faulders had returned thanks Mrs. Drenner, assisted by her daughter, Miss Gussie; Mrs. Gertrude Tschopp and Mrs. Elias Pyfer, another daughter of Mrs. Perrine, served a delicious luncheon of sandwiches, salad, coffee, ice cream and cake. During the luncheon hour piano music was rendered by Miss Gussie Drenner and Mrs. Gladys Pyfer, granddaughters of Mrs. Perrine, and another granddaughter, Miss Helen Drenner, gave a number of vocal selections. Congratulations were many upon the happy occasion and wishes were extended by the guests for many more happy birthdays.

Those present beside daughters and granddaughters already mentioned were Mrs. D. W. Shaw, Mrs. Henrietta Boddiger, Mrs. Warren Roberts, Mrs. Gertrude Tschopp, Mrs. Henry Coffman, Mrs. E. Bomberger, Mrs. Lucinda Hibarger, Mrs. John Hurdle, Mrs. Davis McCoy, Mrs. Isaac Brand, Mrs. Frank Wolfe, Mrs. Margaret Coddington of Oregon, Mrs. Louise Faulders and Mrs. Charles Oyler.

Mrs. Kerr Here.
Mrs. Charles Kerr has arrived from Springfield, Mass., to visit her mother, Mrs. George Steel.

To Visit Brother.
Miss Orpha Hanes went to Oregon today to visit at the home of her brother, S. Hanes.

At Luncheon.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Neighbour entertained at luncheon Monday noon Sec. DerKinderen of the Y. M. C. A., who is on his way to France.

From Mendota.
W. T. Holliston of Mendota, was a guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Neighbour. Mr. Holliston is a brother of the lady.

To Entertain.
Mrs. T. J. Gullion will entertain a number of neighbors Friday afternoon in honor of her mother, Mrs. McNutt of Indianapolis, a guest of her daughter.

From Forreston.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wertz of Forreston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Clymer Tuesday.

To DeKalb.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fordham moved Monday from Rockford to DeKalb, as he has been made assistant cashier of the DeKalb Trust and Savings bank. He takes up his new duties on March 1st.

D. A. R. Meeting.
The monthly meeting of the local chapter D. A. R. will be held Saturday afternoon, March 2, at the home of the Misses Murphy, 409 Second street. Delegates to the state conference will be chosen. Mrs. Lewmon De ment will give the paper of the afternoon on the "Eric Canal." Mrs. Winn will discuss current happenings.

For Orchestra Leader.
The birthday of W. H. Smith, for over thirty years leader in a Dixon orchestra, was honored Tuesday evening by a dinner party at the M. E. church by the members of the Dixon Symphony and Methodist orchestras, both of which he conducts. The affair was a scramble dinner, participated in by fifty members of the orchestras and a few friends. The dinner was served by young women connected with the orchestras and included Miss Mary Hintz, Mrs. Harry Hintz, Miss Emily Williams and Miss Gertrude Nesbit. A handsome birthday cake, baked by Miss Breed, and candle adorned, graced the table. Mrs. J. W. Watts, who makes the best coffee imaginable, was persuaded to pre side at the urn. An introductory talk, telling that the dinner was in honor of the man who made the M. E. orchestra a possibility and a delightful fact, was made by Rev. E. C. Lumsden, the pastor. After dinner talks included one on the regularity and the promptness of attendance aided by the use of the orchestra at the opening of Sunday school given by C. C. Hintz, S. S. superintendent, one by R. J. Slothower, commenting on the history of Dixon orchestra conducted by Mr. Smith and a third by Earl Sennett, on the orchestra as an organization. All talks were impromptu and were listened to with pleasure by those present. A number of selections by the orchestra were enjoyed during the evening which bore out the good things said by Mr. Smith and his orchestra.

CHICAGO MARKETS
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Chicago, Feb. 27.

Corn	126 1/2	127	126 3/4	126 1/2
May	126 1/2	127	126 3/4	126 1/2
Oct	127 1/2	128 1/4	127 1/4	127 1/4
Oats	87 1/2	88 1/4	87 3/4	87 1/2
May	87 1/2	88 1/4	87 3/4	87 1/2
Oct	89	89 1/2	89	89 1/4

Receipts today—
Hogs 32,000, 15 to 20c higher, top 1725.
Cattle 7000, 10c higher.
Sheep 8000, strong.
Estimated tomorrow—
Hogs 44,000.
Cattle 11,000.
Sheep 12,000.

U and I Club Tonight.

Because the majority of members wished to attend the concert at the opera house last evening, the meeting of the U and I club with Mrs. Lindeman was postponed until tonight.

Riverside Gaiety Club.

The Riverside Gaiety club held a pleasant meeting Saturday afternoon with Miss Lucille Collins. Dainty refreshments were served and the afternoon was spent in crocheting and knitting. Miss Blanche Ites will be hostess next Saturday.

Knitted to Music.

The I C U Knit-a-bit club spent a pleasant afternoon Tuesday with Mrs. Henry Leydig, 15 being present. The musicians of the company were again drafted into service and many enjoyable numbers were rendered. Patriotic motion songs by two of the younger members, little Miss Ruth Leydig and Miss Edith Slothower, were greatly enjoyed while Lawrence Leydig, four years old, gave a recitation in a manner well calculated to bring loud applause. The members continued knitting though engulding their brains for the words of the various patriotic songs in which all joined, and many a soldier's sock may fit all the better for being made to the tune of The Star Spangled Banner. The next meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Heckman, 1222 W. Third street.

FORESTERS, M. W. A.

The M. W. A. Foresters are requested to meet at 8 o'clock this evening at Miller hall.

Miss Cleo Deeter is again assisting at Mrs. Woolever's millinery store.

Rev. and Mrs. N. King were in Dixon today from Nachusa.

FOR AIR SAFETY.
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Feb. 27.—Immediate steps to reduce the number of collisions by student aviators by spreading out the plane areas are about to be taken by the war department.

ENEMY PLOT FAILED.
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 27.—An attempt to blow up machinery in the plant of the Newburgh Ship Yards Company here today was frustrated, but only after a guard had picked up a bomb and hurled it out of danger. It exploded and did some damage, but not enough to interfere with work at the plant.

AERIAL MAIL SERVICE.
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Feb. 27.—Aerial plane mail service between New York and Washington will be in daily operation beginning April 15, the Post Office Department says.

BOOSTS FOR THE RED CROSS WORK

Thomas Tompkins of this city, who is in the navy, writes home to his mother and in his letter says: "The Red Cross is doing wonderful work for the soldiers and sailors in giving warm clothing and useful things. Give them a boost whenever you can, Ma."

ARREST PRO-GERMANS.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
A Pacific Port, Feb. 27.—The captain, chief engineer and purser of the steamship Centralia were ordered arrested today by federal authorities. It was announced, after an investigation of an alleged pro-German plot to supply Germans in Lower California and South and Central America, and allegations that the men uttered pro-German sentiments and attempted to obstruct operation of the selective draft.

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PAJAMAS\$1.50, \$2.00
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Religion of the Trenches

"A NEW religion is going to come out of the trenches," writes Private
Peat in the American Magazine; "I call it 'shirt-sleeve religion,' be-
cause it is going to be practical and straightforward and honest."

There is religion there, he assures us, real religion. The men swear a
good deal in the trenches and they don't pray or go through the ordinary
forms of religion, but just the same they are far more religious than they
ever were before, or than the people at home are now. They have the big
essentials of faith.

"Every mother's son of us is honestly at peace with God. Why? Be-
cause we are just as sure that we are what the church folks call "right
with God" as we are that we are in the trenches. We're often afraid—
physically afraid of getting wounded or killed. But afraid to die? Not
a bit.

"It's hard to explain to those who haven't been there, but every fight-
ing man will understand. We feel that we have wiped our slate clean by
what we are doing. All the little, petty weighing of right and wrong has
gone by. It's as simple as black and white, and what we are doing is white.

"We have become children again. We believe absolutely that God
understands, and we are—well, just plain comfortable in our hearts."

Along with this sense of security and peace comes a wonderful strength-
ening of the manly virtues. It is nonsense to talk of the "demoralizing
effect of trench life."

"There is one thing certain," says Peat, "your boy is coming home
from this war a better man than he was when he went into it. I could tell
of dozens of cases I have known personally of men who were literally born
again in the trenches."

And in this assurance is profound comfort for parents who are worry-
ing for the spiritual and moral welfare of their sons:

"It's bitter hard, I know, to send your son away to fight. But if you
realize that the war is going to give him a post-graduate course in the very
things you've tried hardest to teach him, maybe it won't seem so hard.
Those things are courage and loyalty, self-sacrifice, honesty, trust in God—
aren't they? Well, those are the things he will learn in the trenches. Be-
lieving this, you certainly can send him away with a smile on your face, a
smile of pride and hope."

If the boys bring that simple, manly religion back with them, we won't
have to get busy "saving their souls" when they return. They may be sav-
ing our souls.

The Modest Little Tugboat

TUGBOATS are familiar to all who ever see the Great Lakes, the New
York harbor or the Hudson or East river. They are small and modest,
but powerful. Perhaps but few readers realize the important part that
these least conspicuous boats of our merchant marine have played and are
playing in the war, and how it is that the country finds itself with all too
few of them. If we had twice as many of them as we have, the coal famine
would never have reached the height and stress that it did.

When the submarines first began their deadly work, merchant ships
were easy marks. The U-boats came to the surface, hung around in a leis-
urely way, and kept firing torpedoes or guns until the merchantman went
to the bottom.

Then the destroyers began their submarine hunt, and merchant ships
were armed. U-boats can now often fire but a single shot, when they must
quickly get out of sight, or they may be destroyed by depth bombs or well
aimed shots. Hence not quite so many merchantmen are being sunk, but
a good many are being crippled by single shots.

Here comes in the value of the tugboats. It is far easier to pull a
crippled ship into port and repair it than to let it sink and build a new one.
So a great fleet of our tugboats was called over to the other side, where they
are doing grand work in towing injured ships into harbor.

That, however, crippled our coal carrying fleet, which depends to a con-
siderable extent on ocean going tugboats for motive power. This tended to
break down water transportation of coal on the Atlantic coast, and threw
a tremendous added burden on the railroads. They have had to divert coal
cars from the interior, to supply regions formerly supplied by water. Ter-
minals became congested, with a consequent paralysis of all forms of trans-
portation and war work, affecting the whole country.

"Prejudice" Against Germany

COUNT VON HERTLING, German chancellor, rightly fears that "the tri-
bunal of the entire world," to which President Wilson referred, is
"prejudiced" against Germany. He should reflect that Germany has created
the prejudice, and keeps adding to it. Ere long, if the time has not already
come, it will be impossible to form any peace or arbitration tribunal that
the chancellor would consider unprejudiced, except a tribunal composed en-
tirely of men named by the kaiser.

Von Hertling's agreement with the four principles announced by Presi-
dent Wilson as necessarily to be applied in a mutual exchange of views, can
be regarded only as nominal so long as Germany continues to act as she is
acting with helpless Russia. What good does it do to agree, for instance,
to the principle "that peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about
from sovereignty to sovereignty as if they were mere chattels and pawns in
a game, even the great game, now forever discredited, of the balance of
power," and yet to gobble up whatever of Russian territory she wants, at the
same time asking for a great indemnity, and taking away from the people
that which they had already gained by their revolution, taking away the
opportunity to establish a republican form of government, and proposing
to create a new monarchy with a German puppet as emperor or empress?

Neither the kaiser, the chancellor nor the other war lords of Germany
yet see the light. They are unable to read the handwriting on the wall, and
the only way to give them light and the ability to read the world's verdict
is to shoot it into them.

Hindenburg is preparing a new line far in the rear of the present loca-
tion of his forces. The old fellow is going to Paris like a crawfish.

After Eight Months

HOW long does it take history to become ancient history? Maybe not
so long as you think. Last May when we were figuring out our best
contribution to the war and popular opinion leaned strongly to aeroplanes,
worthy citizens wearing the label of experts rose from their chairs and
made objection.

"Whatever we do," they said, "must be in large orders. The trouble
with the flying machine lies in this: It does not lend itself to standardiza-
tion and quantity production. Every machine is an institution in itself.
You can no more turn the things out in numbers, all alike and with inter-
changeable parts, than you can create a standardized colony of human
beings."

The other day some news came out about aeroplanes. The Liberty
motors are being manufactured on a quantity production basis. So also
with other parts and divisions. Planes can be shipped across the sea
"knocked down," be assembled and tuned up exactly as in the case of auto-
mobiles.

The experts are saying nothing. We gather that they are too busy
for conversation and counsel, being engaged in manufacturing aeroplanes
standardized and in quantity.

Our objection to syndicate doctors is that they describe diseases faster
than we can have 'em.

Many things could be accomplished in this world in the time devoted
to making excuses.

Bolsheviki, if not already enlightened on the subject, soon will know
who put the pill in pillage.

Hoover, in his zeal, seems to have stepped on the railroads' chilblains.

Partly cloudy and warmer in Russia.

ILLINOIS NEWS NOTES

KIRKLAND.—Floyd Rowan, son
of Sam Rowan, Rockford, spent last
week here with friends, prior to sail-
ing as an engineer on a battleship for
foreign waters.

ESMOND.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Mil-
ler celebrated their sixty-third wed-
ding anniversary last week.

WOODSTOCK.—Fred Fehrman,
retired farmer, was led about town
with a rope around his neck by 100
citizens after he had been heard to
make unpatriotic remarks. County
Judge Smiley and State's Attorney
Lumley led the procession. Fehrman
had previously been given a severe
lecture in open court by the judge
and attorney. He was made to kneel,
salute the flag and kiss it.

ELGIN.—James Potter Brown,
South State street, has received his
commission as first lieutenant in the
navy, and has been made personal
aide to Admiral Gleeves, in charge
of the U. S. fleet of destroyers.

DWIGHT.—Mrs. Mary Potter,
104, said to be the oldest woman in
Illinois, still owns the farm her hus-
band bought from the government,
and spends nearly all her time knit-
ting for soldiers.

CHAMPAIGN.—Mabel L. Baker
won an award of \$4,200 in the cir-
cuit court against the Illinois Cen-
tral railroad. Several months ago
she was injured at the Curtis street
corner in Champaign, an especially
dangerous crossing.

KIRKLAND.—"Al" Goff has sold
the 40-acre tract of land in the east
part of town, a portion of which is
in the village, to John MacQueen, for
\$16,000—\$400 per acre.

URBANA.—Nearly one-third of all
the fraternity men who have attended
the state university since its found-
ing are now in the government ser-
vice. The total average percentage of
all social fraternities on the campus
is 31.35, with the local fraternities
leading with 33.77 per cent. The
average of the national service with
43.1 per cent. Theta Chi with 40.9,
and Phi Kappa Tau with 39.8.

MOLINE.—John A. O'Neill was
walking to near the edge of the de-
pot platform when a backing switch
engine knocked him down, breaking
an arm and several ribs.

HERRIN.—A package containing
\$15,000 in ten and twenty-dollar
bills disappeared from the safe of
Postmaster Boren, who received it
by registered mail and placed it in
the safe himself. The strong box is
in plain view of the street, next to
a big plate window; the package dis-
appeared between the hours of 10
and 12 a. m., the busiest part of the
day. It was sent from East St. Louis
to the National City Bank of Herrin.

GALESBURG.—Motion picture
managers propose to have ballots
printed at their own expense and
have them at the polls on election
day that the voters may express their
opinion on the Sunday opening of
the show houses.

PEORIA.—William Dare, business
agent for the painters, was found
guilty of manslaughter by a jury, in
connection with the stabbing of Her-
man Schwartz. A new trial has been
asked.

GENOA.—James Hackett drove to
Sycamore with a load of barley the
other day, weighing out 94 bushels,
and drove home with a check for
\$170.50.

GENESEO.—Grocerymen and
meat dealers have combined on the
cash and carry plan. There will be
but two deliveries—9:30 and 2:30;
five cents extra for each delivery; to
charge accounts 1 per cent is added;
on the tenth of each month the ac-
count is unpaid another 1 per cent is
added.

MOLINE.—The Rev. Walter Til-
berg of Trinity Lutheran church, has
resigned the pastorate to enter the
war service of the Lutheran National
commission. After three months at
Camp Logan he will go "over there."

Galesburg.—Samuel Hultberg
bought a number of hogs from Albert
Johnson and a few days after delivery
the hogs sickened and died, and also
twelve of his original herd. Hultberg
is now suing for \$2,500.

ROCK ISLAND.—"If you scream
or make a noise I'll blow your head
off" growled a negro burglar as he
held a gun close to the head of quak-
ing Miss Mary Pratt, a retired school
teacher as she sat up in bed on hear-
ing the prowler in her room. Still
threatening her life, he yanked on a
small ribbon band around her neck,
at the end of which was attached
a small sack containing \$80 in bills.
This the burglar grabbed and backed
out of the house.

ORANGEVILLE.—Mrs. Adam
Sweifel has the earliest "spring
hatch" of young chickens so far re-
ported in the state, and she says
there is a chicken for each soldier
who left Orangeville. They will be
shipped as soon as full grown.

ABE MARTIN



You never find some folks out till
they all in. Nobuddy seems 't have
as much fun as a couple o' fellers
with an' old, second handed, long
waisted red roadster.

CITY IN BRIEF

Merle Swan of Omaha, Neb.,
stopped in Dixon, Monday, en route
home from Detroit, for a short visit
with his uncle, James Swan, of Ga-
lena avenue.

Jacob Dockery of route 6, Polo,
here Tuesday.

—Watch the little yellow tag on
your Telegraph. It serves as a re-
ceipt, indicating the date to which
your Telegraph is paid.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Boynton
went to Chicago this morning. Mr.
Boynton will continue on to New
York on a business trip.

Col. and Mrs. D. B. Brinton left
today for Jacksonville, Fla., for a
visit.

Arthur Hoover and Theo. Carter of
Sterling were business visitors in Dix
on today.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Schoenholz
transacted business in Compton yester-
day.

John Montavon was here from Vi-
ola township today.

—No need suffering any more with
catarrh. Rowland Bros. guarantee
that if a Hyomei outfit does not re-
lieve you, they will pay for it them-
selves.

A. S. Berry, the "live wire" mer-
chant, Amboy, was here Tuesday. Mr.
Berry conducts a large general store
in Amboy. The building is 60x60 and
full of up-to-date merchandise.

Joseph, John and Henry Meurer of
East Grove were here the last of the
week, the former dining with C. W.
Brewster.

Attorney E. H. Brewster and Mar-
cus Venturi are expected home today
from Doland, S. D., where they went
a few days ago.
Miss Tillie Rice went to Park Ridge
this morning to visit her sister, Mrs.
Murphy.



VAILE AND O'MALLEY

Hats for Spring

Stop in front of our windows
and see the smart new Spring
Hats displayed there. Then come
in and try on several of them.

We don't mind if you do not feel ready to
buy, we just want to impress on you the dis-
tinguishing features of our splendid selec-
tions. They represent the very best in style,
material and workmanship.

All the correct and popular shapes and
Colors at a price you can afford to pay \$2 to \$5

Knox Hats Were Never Better

BE SURE TO SEE THE NEW SPRING LINES

Subscribe for the Dixon Evening
Telegraph, the oldest paper with the
largest circulation of any paper in
Lee county.

L. A. Garrison of route 4 was here
Tuesday.

W. C. Andrus was here Tuesday
from Grand Detour.

Robert Shaw is recovering from an
illness of a week's duration.

Subscriptions to this paper must
be paid in advance. Look at your date
on the little yellow tag and if in ar-
rears, send check or P. O. order for
amount due at once.

Miss Manges was in Sterling on
Monday shopping and visiting with
friends.

Michael Barr and wife of West
Brooklyn were here Monday.

Look at the little yellow tag on
your Telegraph. It serves as a re-
ceipt.

Gus Cahill of Walton was here on
Monday.

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FRIENDSHIP LODGE.

All members' of Friendship lodge,
A. F. & A. M., are invited to attend
the Chapter School of Instruction to-
night and hear the address to be given
by Supt. John D. Shoop of the Chi-
cago schools.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

Watch tomorrow's issue for the
announcement of the Big Closing Out
Sale of G. B. Stitzel's on Thursday,
March 7th.

John Todd of Eldena, who was taken
to the Dixon hospital yesterday for
treatment for pneumonia, succumbed
to the ailment at 3 o'clock Tuesday
afternoon. Funeral services will be
held at his home at 1:30 o'clock on
Thursday afternoon, Rev. Paul Davis
of Eldena officiating and with burial
in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Todd was born in Ireland in
1848. He came to America and direct
to Eldena about 40 years ago, since
which time he had operated a farm
near that place. His only surviving
relative in the United States is his
wife, while a brother and sister live
in Ireland.

Postponed

Cronister's Big Closing Out Sale

on account of rain until

Saturday, March 2, 1918 9:30 a. m.

12 Horses, 32 Cattle, 45 Hogs, 20 tons Tim-
othy Hay, 500 bushels Corn. Seven sets al-
most new Work Harness. Big line of Farm
Machinery, and the best quality offered at any
sale this Winter including one 10-20 Tractor,
almost new, three Bottom Plow and Tandem
Disc, Belt, Grinder etc. Several hundred small
articles.

Sale to commence at 9:30 sharp, in order to
finish before dark.

WALTER CRONISTER

Abbott and Rutt, Auctioneers.
Gray and Dockery, Clerks.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Public Auction

The undersigned, for the owner, will sell at public auction to the high-
est bidder, one of the best located dwelling properties in Dixon, Illinois.

SALE TO TAKE PLACE ON THE PROPERTY,

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918

AT THE HOUR OF 2:00 P. M.

This property consists of a double frame dwelling house, full two
stories in height, all under one roof, but two separate and complete homes,
stone foundation, cement walks, shade trees and an exceptionally pretty lot
that lays level and above one of the best residence streets in Dixon, de-
scribed as follows:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lot No. Twenty-eight (28) in Highland
Park Addition to the City of Dixon, Illinois;

TITLE: A good and sufficient warranty deed will be given, together
with an abstract of title showing a good title, and certified to date of sale.

TERMS OF SALE

This property will be sold clear and free from debt or an indebtedness
of about \$3,000.00 can be left on the property to suit the purchaser; the
balance of the purchase price to be paid when deed is delivered.

FRANK T. JOHNSON.

D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.



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You'll enjoy the rich taste of
Eagle Brand corn bread—a real
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THE BEST IS NONE TOO GOOD FOR YOU

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COMPANY M MAN IS ANXIOUS FOR FIGHT

TOP SERGEANT OF LEE COUNTY CO. ASKS REDUCTION SO HE CAN GO ACROSS.

The following clipping from the Chicago Journal refers to the top sergeant of Company M, 342nd regiment, at Camp Grant, which is the Lee county regiment:

In contrast to the case of Farrell is that of a sergeant in Co. M, 342nd in fantry. This soldier came to Camp Grant through the regular army. He enlisted from St. Mary's, Kas., and after having been in the service several months was sent here to drill selected men, Capt. Preston F. Kummer made him a top sergeant. He was a lawyer and was eager to serve his country, his reason for joining the regulars being to get quick action.

Begs Reduction in Rank

Despite the fact that he was made top sergeant, the man fretted and fussed when on orders from the war department a lot of fellows were sent from Camp Grant for immediate service overseas. Last week Capt. Kummer got orders to supply from his company 50 of the 1000 men to be sent to Camp Greene. This was too much for the sergeant.

"Sir," he said, approaching the captain, who is a Chicago lawyer and had gone into the army himself hoping for a chance for action against the enemy. "I want you to reduce me to the ranks."

Captain Kummer knew the reason for the request, but tried to dissuade the sergeant. "No," said the "top," earnestly, "I want to be made a private soldier and request that you put me on the list of 50 men from this company who are to be sent to Camp Greene, as I understand they are to go overseas at once."

"Top" Wins His Ambition

"I hated to see him go, for he is a real soldier," said Capt. Kummer "but I did it. I know what I would think of any man who would stand between me and my desire to go over there, where there is something real going on."

London (Correspondence of Associated Press)—A National Labor Memorial for Freedom and Peace is being organized and will be considered by a special conference between the Trade Union Congress and the Labor Party, shortly.

The idea is to raise 300,000 pounds to build a national headquarters for labor here as a memorial to trade unionists who have fallen during the war.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."

—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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For more than 25 years it has been healing and preventing skin soreness.

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KAISER LIKES TO FIGHT

Hertling's Speech Is Effort to Fool German People.

Chancellor Wants to Discredit President Wilson's Aims, Declare U. S. Officials.

Washington, Feb. 27.—German Imperial Chancellor von Hertling's speech in the reichstag continuing the discussion of the war aims of the belligerent powers has not changed the situation, in the opinion of high officials here.

Instead of marking an advance toward peace, it is regarded rather as deliberately calculated to strengthen the hands of the German militaristic party by endeavoring to convince the German proletariat of the impracticable nature of President Wilson's aims as disclosed in his most recent address to congress on February 11.

While stating his readiness to accept the president's four fundamental principles for a basis of peace, Count von Hertling dismissed them as idealistic and unworkable by insisting that they must depend for their application upon the realization of conditions which cannot be met.

In the official view his treatment of the subject was ironical and designed for very different ends than the advancement of peace.

Attention was directed by officials to President Wilson's former characterization of the German chancellor's utterances as "very vague and confusing," and it was said that the president's comment had a peculiarly apt application to the Hertling speech of Monday.

Officials noted particularly Hertling's references to Ireland, India and Egypt and regarded them as calculated to create discord between the entente allies and continue a deception of the German people, who apparently believe the military party is willing to make peace without annexations and indemnities.

Hertling's suggestion of a conference of the belligerents apparently meets with no greater favor than heretofore, and officials see not the slightest hope of a "round table discussion" in advance of a complete acceptance by the central powers of the broad principles upon which the entente is willing to consider peace terms.

Hertling's speech was carefully studied by President Wilson and state department officials. Intimations that the president would make it the occasion for another address immediately found no official support.

PUTS BLAME ON GARFIELD

Senator Says Fuel Chief Is Responsible for Coal Shortage.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Responsibility for the coal shortage was placed squarely on the fuel administration by Senator Reed of Missouri in a "statement of facts" submitted to the senate subcommittee on manufacturers as a basis for a report of its recent investigation of the fuel situation.

"The chaos now existing in the coal business," the statement said, "must give place to stability or we will in the near future be confronted by a coal shortage of the most disastrous character."

For this reason Senator Reed said there should be an immediate announcement of prices and contracts which will be allowed to replace present coal contracts, practically all of which terminate April 1. Senator Reed declared the recent fuel order closing industries east of the Mississippi river was issued by the fuel administration "without warrant or authority of law" in order to "extricate itself from its self-created dilemma."

ESCAPES FROM THE FLORIZEL

One Man Saved by Air Pressure at Top of Flooded Room.

St. John, N. F., Feb. 27.—After facing the despair of death for hours, survivors of the wrecked Red Cross liner Florizel, lost north of Cape Race, told of miraculous escapes. John Kleley, manager of a moving-picture theater, the only one of those trapped below decks who lives to tell of it, was caught when the first rush of water flooded his stateroom. The air pressure at the top of the room, however, kept down the water so that by lying on the upper berth with his nose to the ceiling he was able to escape drowning.

His greatest fear was that life savers might overlook him. He cried for help at the top of his lungs and beat the ceiling with his fists until his knuckles bled. But the gale and crash of seas drowned out his cries. Finally rescuers heard him and smashed a way to him with axes.

MEXICANS SHOOT TROOPER

Member of U. S. Border Patrol Attacked Thirty Miles From El Paso.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 27.—A soldier of United States cavalry border patrol was shot through the upper left arm while patrolling the border near San Elizario, 90 miles southeast of here. The soldier was riding with a comrade when two Mexicans opened fire.

Liberty Loan Interest Higher.

Washington, Feb. 27.—"The next Liberty loan will bear interest at a rate of 4½ per cent," said Representative Meeker of Missouri, on the floor of the house. "I have that information direct."

Price of the Daily Telegraph by

city carrier, 10 cents a week. Price by

mail, \$3 a year. Single copies, 5 cents

each.

Chief Organizer of United Service Club



Lieut. Edward W. Irion is the principal organizer of the United Service club, which plans to establish branches in the United States and abroad for officers in the army, navy and marine corps. The parent organization in Washington began with 91 charter members and a large application list. It has leased handsome quarters.

HOOVER DENIES CHARGE

Says Aids Have Nothing to Do With Packers.

Declares Former Employees of Meat Firms Are Working in Interest of U. S.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Food Administrator Hoover issued a statement denying Francis J. Heney's statements that food administration employees were exerting an influence in the interest to the packers.

Hoover's statement reads: "On behalf of, and out of consideration for the men referred to in the packers' investigation in Chicago, who are or have been employed in the food administration, I wish to say that none of the men referred to has anything whatever to do with the regulation or control of the packing trade. They are employed in other directions and are not now paid by the packers."

"From time to time, as in these cases, many men are tried out temporarily in the food administration and if they are able to give the time and prove to have the devotion, experience and skill necessary for this work, they are required to resign from any connection that would involve any conflict of interest before they become permanent employees of the administration."

"All of the men referred to have rendered valuable service to the government at considerable sacrifice to themselves and there is no question whatever as to their loyalty to the public interest."

THREE SHOT BY U. S. FOE

Disloyal Musician Wounds Men When Ousted From Union.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Three members of the musicians' union were shot by a fellow member who had been ordered expelled because he had refused to stand when "The Star Spangled Banner" was played recently in the Civic Auditorium. The expelled member fired six shots into a crowd of union members, three taking effect.

The wounded were A. F. Less, sergeant-at-arms; F. Sedler and Herbert Schultz. They were shot by Guido Tuzi. Tuzi was arrested.

W. H. TAFT GIVEN NEW TASK

Will Represent Public at Labor Conference in Washington.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Former President Taft was chosen by representatives of capital as their representative for the public in the joint conference here between employers and employees to establish a basis of relations during the war. The workers' representatives also will name a man to represent the public.

Mr. Taft has wired his acceptance and is expected here today.

U-BOAT CHASER MAKES PORT

Missing Craft Arrives Safe After Being Disabled in Storm.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Safe arrival at a European port of a 110-foot submarine chaser, with a French crew aboard, which had not been heard from since January 15, was announced by the navy department. The little craft was separated from its escort during a terrific gale while bound for Europe. With the engines disabled by the storm, the crew rigged up sails from bed covers and sailed for 39 days.

DROP 30 BOMBS ON VENICE

German Airmen Kill Two and Wound Five During Raid.

Rome, Feb. 27.—During air raids at night, a semiofficial announcement says, enemy airplanes dropped 27 bombs on inhabited places at Venice, 30 on Mestre and five on Castelfranco. Two persons were killed and nine injured at Venice and three were killed at Mestre. All were civilians. The material damage was slight.

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UNCLE SAM TAKES GOOD CARE OF APPOINTEES

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS PAID TO HOUSING NEW EMPLOYEES AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—The federal government is not only giving close attention to the matter of the proper housing of its new appointees in Washington, but the general welfare of the employees is now considered in greater measure than ever before. Many of the young people who have come to Washington for war work are hundreds, even thousands, of miles from home for the first time in their lives. They are strangers in a strange land, and it is not to be wondered at that they become homesick and magnify the troubles that they are bound to meet during the period of adjustment to new conditions. The department heads realize that a good clerk must be a contented one and many officers have appointed welfare workers whose business it is to take an unobtrusive interest in the affairs of the employees and to try to help them with their difficulties. Experiments along this line have had such good results that the number of offices which employ welfare workers is increasing.

Since the war began about 25,000 employees have been added to the civil service in Washington, D. C. The United States Civil Service Commission, whose duty it is to recruit this branch of the service, estimates that this calendar year will add another 20,000. Stenographers are being appointed in great numbers. There is also need for clerks, both men and women, who are trained in certain special or technical lines, ship draftsmen, mechanical draftsmen and workmen in trades connected with ship building. The representatives of the civil service commission at the post offices in all cities are prepared to furnish all definite information and application blanks.

PASS HOUSING BILL
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Feb. 26.—Final action was taken today on the bill authorizing expenditure of \$50,000,000, by the shipping board, for housing facilities at ship building yards when the Senate adopted the conference report approved last week by the house.

Repulse German Raid
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
London, Feb. 26.—"A hostile attempt during the night to raid one of our ships south of the Arras-Cambrai road was driven off by rifle fire," says today's war office report. "Elsewhere there was nothing of special interest to report."

See Bosworth and Sheets' Farm Sale ad on Page 7 tonight. 43

BOYS PIG CLUB TO BE STARTED

The Lee County Breeders' Assn. met Tuesday at the Union State bank and decided to establish a County Pig club for boys between the ages of 12 and 18. The state club leader will come here in March or April to discuss the work and arouse interest, and at the same time will explain the contest which will start in June and continue until about Oct. 1. At that date the pigs which the boys have raised will be exhibited at some central point, probably Dixon, and prizes will be awarded. Further details of the plan will be announced at a later date.

LEAD BOWLING TOURNAMENT
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 26.—The Bammerlin team of Cleveland, composed of McDowell and Thier, rolled into first place in the doubles event of the American bowling congress tournament here, with a score of 1,247 on the first shift this morning.

MINERS IN SESSION
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 26.—Consideration of reports and changes in the constitution occupied the attention of the United Mine Workers of Illinois at their convention here today, and indications were that the meeting would be completed tomorrow.

Bargains IN USED Cars

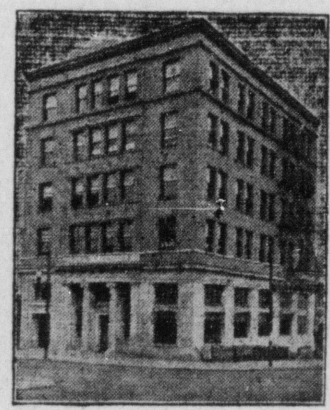
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CHAPTER X.—Mrs. Phillis, Peter and Buster, the pup, arrive. I eat my first meal in my home at Twin Fires.

CHAPTER XI.—Standing among the pines, and with the thrush singing to us, I kiss Stella. I keep a resolution but feel like a fool. Stella goes back to New York.

CHAPTER XII.—Stella sends a letter to Buster in answer to one from me. She spurs me to writing again. I market some of my farm products. I go to New York where I meet Stella, who promises to become the mistress of Twin Fires.

CHAPTER XIII.—A magazine accepts my story. I marry Stella and we go home to Twin Fires.

CHAPTER XIV.—We build a dam and make a pool and water garden in the brook.

CHAPTER XV.—Stella decides that stink gardens are so called because so much money is sunk in them.

CHAPTER XVI.—Some of our rich neighbors call on us and are entertained. We decide never to be rich.

CHAPTER XVII.—Autumn finds us busy in the garden and on the farm and we lay plans for the coming year. Wood fires sparkle on the twin hearths and we prepare for the long winter at Twin Fires.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Horas Non Numero Nisi Serenas.

But this story is, after all, an idyl, and the idyl is drawing to its close. Even as the Old Three Decker carried tired people to the Islands of the Blest, my little tale can only end with "and they lived happily ever after."

That second summer at Twin Fires, of course, showed us many things yet to be done. Neither Rome nor the humblest garden was ever built in a day. Our rambles did their duty well, but the grape arbor and the pergola would not be covered properly in a season. There were holes in the flower beds to be filled by annuals, and mistakes made in succession, so that July found us with many patches destitute of any bloom. Out in the vegetable area there were first cutworms and then drought and potato blight to be contended with. In our ignorance we neglected to watch the hollyhocks for red rust till suddenly whole plants began to die, and we had to spray madly with Bordeaux and pull off a great heap of infected leaves, to save any blooms at all. There were clearings to be made in the pines for ferny spots, and constant work to be done about the pool to keep the wild bushes from coming back. There were chickens to be looked after now, also, and new responsibilities in the village for both of us. We had neither attempted nor desired to avoid our full share of civic

reads the ancient motto on our dial plate, and as I look back on the years of Twin Fires' genesis, or forward into the future, the hours that are not sunny are indeed not marked for me. I am writing now at a table beneath the pergola. The floor is of brick, laid (somewhat irregularly) by Stella and me, for we still are poor, as the Eckstroms would reckon poverty, and none of what Mrs. Deland has called "the grim inhibitions of wealth" prevents us from doing whatever we can with our own hands, and finding therein a double satisfaction. Over my head rustle the thick vines—a wistaria among them, which may or may not survive another winter.

It is June again. I know that a path now wanders up the brook almost to the road, amid the wild tangle, and ends suddenly in the most unexpected nook beneath a willow tree, where lilies fringe a second tiny pool. I know that the path still wanders the other way into the pines—pines larger now and more murmurous of the sea—past beds of ferns and a lone cardinal flower that will bloom in a shaft of sunlight. Somewhere down that path my wife is wandering, and she is not alone. A little form (at least she says it has form) sleeps beside her, while she sits, perhaps, with a book, or more likely with sewing in her busy fingers, or more likely still with hands that stray toward the sleeping child and ears that listen to the seashell murmur of the pines whispering secrets of the future. Is he to be a Napoleon or a Pasteur? No less a genius, surely, the prophetic pines whisper to the listening mother!

My own pen halts in its progress and the ink dries on the point. And hark, from the pines a tiny cry! Can he want his father?

THE END.

Dr. Harriet Saxmann went to Chicago this morning.

The preceding summer I had made about two hundred dollars out of my produce, which in my first naive enthusiasm pleased me greatly. But it was surely a poor return on my investment, reckoned merely in dollars and cents, and the second season showed a different result. Having two cows and a small family, I managed to dispose of my surplus milk and cream to a farmer who ran a milk route. This brought me in \$73 a year. As I further saved at least \$100 by not having to buy milk, and \$90 by Peter's efforts at the churn, and could reckon a further profit from manure and calves, my cows were worth between three hundred and four hundred dollars a year to me. Now that we had hens and chickens, we could reckon on another \$100 saved in egg and poultry bills. To this total I was able to add at the end of the summer more than five hundred dollars received from the sale of fruit and vegetables, not only to the market but to the hotels. I was the only person in Pontford who had cultivated raspberries for sale, for instance, and the fact that I could deliver them absolutely fresh to the hotels was appreciated in so delicate a fruit. Stella and Peter were the pickers. I also supplied the

mans with peas, cauliflowers and toma-

work. We lived a busy life, with not an hour in the idle day, and few hours in the evening. We lived so full a life, indeed, that it was only by preserving an absolute routine for my own bread-winning labors, from 9 a. m. till one, that I was able to resist the siren call of farm and garden, and get my daily stint accomplished.

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3 U. S. MEN DIE IN GAS ATTACK

Nine Others Are Put Out of Action by Germans in the Toul Sector.

AMERICANS QUICK TO ACT

Toutons Assault Yankees With Projectors for First Time—Number of Soldiers Overcome Before They Adjust Masks.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 27.—Three American soldiers were killed and nine badly "gassed" in two formidable gas attacks made by the Germans on the American positions in the Toul sector early Tuesday morning with projectors.

The enemy also heavily bombarded the American batteries with gas shells, but without result.

Only the excellent preparatory training in quickness by the American troops prevented the projector attacks, the first experienced by them from causing more casualties.

Attacks Ten Minutes Apart.

The attacks were made within ten minutes of each other and were directed at a certain wood. Seventy-five eight-inch shells of 80 per cent gas and 20 high explosive shells were fired from German minenwerfer.

The flight of the projectiles was traced through the air, the gas shells bursting in the air and the high explosives detonating when they came in contact with the earth. Large fragments of shells flew from both missiles.

The gas caught some of the men before they were able to adjust their masks and overcame others while they were asleep in dugouts.

The American artillery has replied constantly, doing most effective work against the enemy front line trenches, his battery positions and wire entanglements. Numerous working parties of the enemy also were shelled. Beyond observation by balloons there has been no aerial activity owing to the low clouds and rain.

American machine guns last night and this morning fired many thousand rounds on the rear of German positions, where marked movement of men and material progresses. The enemy tried unsuccessfully to hinder the American patrol work by hurling new and powerful flares into the American wire entanglements.

Details of the Franco-American raid in the Chemin des Dames Saturday show that 26 picked American soldiers participated, after every member of their battalion had volunteered.

Take Entire Party of Enemy.

There was some hand-to-hand fighting, but the entire enemy party at this point was captured. The raiders chased the enemy out of other shelters and along communicating trenches without catching any. There was some criticism of the fact that the Americans were so enthusiastic that they went beyond the objectives.

The raiders and prisoners started back across No Man's Land on schedule time, but were caught in a German counter-barrage. One enemy shell wounded five Germans and six Frenchmen but no Americans.

French Raids Frequent.

French Grand Headquarters, Feb. 27.—French raids along the French front have increased in intensity during the last month to such an extent that they have become, in some instances, battles in which thousands of men have been engaged and hundreds of prisoners taken. The artillery is throwing unheard of quantities of shells.

The objects of the raids vary widely. Sometimes a raid is undertaken in order to identify enemy units, and at other times to improve the lines or capture observation points.

4 U. S. MEN DIE OF WOUNDS

Wisconsin Soldier Succumbs to Wound Received in Action.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The death of one man in action on February 19, of two others from wounds received in action, and a fourth from a gun explosion, were reported to the war department by General Pershing. The dispatch also gave the names of four men slightly wounded on the firing line. The man who died in action was: James J. Regnerin, private, Oshkosh, Wis.

TWO FLYERS IN COLLISION

Cadet Weissinger Killed and W. C. Story Fatally Hurt.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 27.—William J. Weissinger of Buena Vista, Miss., a cadet, was killed and William C. Story of Freeport, N. Y., also a cadet, was probably fatally injured when the airplanes in which they were making solo flights at Park field, near Memphis, collided and fell a distance of about 1,000 feet.

NEW RECORD FOR COAL MINE

Company in Indiana Hoisted 5,911 Tons in Eight Hours.

Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 27.—The world's record for coal production in eight hours' time, held by an Illinois mine, was shattered when the American mine, located in this county, hoisted 5,911 tons.

—Send the Telegraph to your son who is in the training camp. It's better than a letter from home because it gives all the town and county news Postpaid, ten cents a week.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS

TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a tax sale held at Dixon, in Lee County, on the Twelfth day of June, A. D. 1916, for taxes of the year A. D. 1915, H. C. Warner purchased the following described real estate-to-wit: Lot Number Fifty-seven (57) in Park Manor Addition to the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, taxed in the name of F. N. Fargo and that the Certificate of Purchase has been assigned to Lelia F. Preston and that time of redemption from said sale will expire on June 12th, A. D. 1918.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 4th day of February, A. D. 1918.

LELIA F. PRESTON.

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FORECLOSURE SALE BY MASTER IN CHANCERY

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Marshall A. Watson

vs. Herbert W. Morris, et al. Bill to Foreclose Mortgage. In Chancery. No. 3526.

Public Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Lee and State of Illinois, made and entered on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1918, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Marshall A. Watson is complainant and Herbert W. Morris and others are defendants,—Foreclosure No. 3526, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said Court, will, on Saturday, the 16th day of March, A. D. 1918, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, the following described pieces or parcels of land with the appurtenances thereon, to-wit:

Lots Number Thirty (30), Thirty-one (31), Thirty-two (32), Thirty-three (33), Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38) and

Thirty-nine (39) in E. C. Parsons' Industrial Addition to the City of Dixon, situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois,

Or, so much thereof, as may be sufficient to realize the amount found due complainant, principal, interest, costs of suit and expenses of sale and which may be sold separately without material injury to the parties interested.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 13th day of February, A. D. 1918.

MARK C. KELLER,

Master in Chancery.

HARRY EDWARDS,

Solicitor for Complainant.

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CAN SEND HEAVIER PACKAGES IN POST

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Feb. 26.—As a means of stimulating movement of farm products to the consumer, Postmaster General Burleson today increased the allowable weights of parcel post packages, effective March 15.

Packages when mailed in the first or second zones for delivery in the

What to do when Backache comes on

"I found immediate relief in the use of Foley Kidney Pills, have recommended them, and do not know of a single instance when they failed to give relief."

C. U. Landrum, a traveling salesman, writes from San Angelo, Texas: "Driving over rough roads and in all kinds of weather gave me acute pains in the back and I suffered greatly. I found relief in the use of Foley Kidney Pills, and before the first bottle was used, the pain in my back had entirely disappeared and I have had no recurrence of those pains which frequently amounted to almost neuralgic proportions."

When backache comes on, and it seems as if you can't stand the pain and pressure in your back, you will find quick and grateful relief comes with the use of Foley Kidney Pills. They stop the cause of the pain, ease the stiff aching joints and muscles, and clear the poisons out of your system by helping your kidneys and bladder to normal healthy action.

first, second or third zones may thereafter be as heavy as 70 pounds. They are now restricted to 50.

The weight limit for all other zones was increased from 20 to 50 pounds.

OPPORTUNITY AND

THE DANIEL HAYES NATIONAL SERVICE

Read it. It is educational; it explains how the Daniel Hayes Company is performing a worthwhile national service, as well as for the Daniel Hayes farmers. It also tells of a real opportunity.

In the past men found gold by accident—in mining—in farming—and in other lines of endeavor—stumbled upon it—worked for it with feverish haste—hoping to become rich in a day.

Today science converts into wealth what they once threw away.

Profitable farming is a business science, not a gamble; a sound conservative development, not a wild fling at chance fortune.

This is not an opportunity to grow rich in a day. It is an opportunity to share in the ownership of an irrigation and farm land enterprise which has been developed and is conducted upon correct business principles. Where your investment can be properly protected and assured of a continuous profit and increase in value far beyond the ordinary.

What Daniel Hayes Service Is

There are several hundred million acres of uncultivated lands scattered from Florida to Alaska. You know, undoubtedly, there is some location in that vast area that has soil, climatic conditions, etc., that would allow you to farm in your own particular way with greater profit and enable you to reap the benefit of a large increase in land value such as any old time in your own section have done.

For individuals to search out and investigate the various locations would require a lifetime and a great amount of money. When the ideal location was found it would perhaps be so expensive to develop on a small scale that the time and cost would be prohibitive.

The Daniel Hayes reputation is such that great tracts of land in every section of this country are constantly offered to them.

The Daniel Hayes Company has been investigating, soil, crop, climate, health, market, transportation, irrigation, rainfall, snowfall, and live stock conditions throughout this country for 62 years. This represents a life time effort and the expenditure of a great amount of money.

The Daniel Hayes Company is in a position to locate and develop the greatest general farm and live stock opportunities in this country on a large and efficient scale, so that the land can be sold at prices that allow the buyers to secure a substantial profit through increase in value, as well as securing a farm that will produce general crops and live stock with less cost and labor, and is a good place to live. This service, if individually sold, would be prohibitive in price.

Daniel Hayes service goes still farther. Such men as Mr. J. M. McPherson, our Western Manager, former Secretary of Agriculture of Idaho, and F. C. Horn, Consulting Engineer, a man of national reputation, give Daniel Hayes farmers the benefit of their experience and knowledge. We are farmers ourselves and know the exact conditions. Good buyers in all lines of business do, when possible, confine their purchases from those concerns whose reputation for honesty has long been established and whose experience, organization and financial standing is best fitted to give the greatest possible value. Such concerns render a valuable and dependable service to the buying public.

The Daniel Hayes Company is in a position to give, and does give, the greatest possible land value. Its 62 years of successful growth is evidence of its honesty of purpose and value giving opportunities and service.

Men! You know this country must and will go forward! Population, industrial activity and development are bound to increase, and there must be great opportunities in farm lands for staple crops and live stock.

The land institution that is equipped to locate and develop the better land opportunities, whose life-long record of square dealing stands behind it, and who does honestly, intelligently and successfully develop and distribute those opportunities, is performing a worth while service.

Such is the institution of The Daniel Hayes Company. You are offered an opportunity to secure Daniel Hayes farms that have: The advantages large investment institutions demand for the highest type land securities (47 lower Yakima farmers borrowed on the average of over \$100 per acre from the Federal Farm Loan Bank).

An irrigation system, that Government reports, reclamation statistics prove to be one of the most dependable water rights in the Northwest. Sixty miles of canals and laterals—almost all cement lined. Generally known to be the most economical and efficient system in the Yakima and Columbia river valleys. Totals fifty acre inches water for entire year. This gives control over moisture conditions.

A soil that agriculturists say will produce abundant crops for hundreds of years without fertilization. It is rich sandy clay loam, of lava ash formation, is easily worked, requires much less horse and mechanical power and man labor. Allows the crop roots to grow deeper, secure more plant food and moisture, which means larger yields with less cost and labor.

Climatic conditions that allow plowing practically all winter. Planting, cultivating, harvesting, hauling and other work can be done any time you wish. This permits you to plant the seed at the proper soil temperature, distribute horse and mechanical power, labor and equipment, so that all work can be done more economically and efficient, and does away with crop losses caused by bad weather, shortage of labor and equipment. No mud, no slush, no excessive cold or wet weather.

Almost perpetual sunshine—plant growth is much more rapid.

Better price for butter fat than at Elgin. A fine healthy year-round climate for live stock, no disease, no real cold weather, they require less feed and labor. Pork, beef and dairy products produced cheaply; 7 to 11 tons of alfalfa; 20 to 30 tons of corn silage per acre are average yields. Growing season long enough to grow a crop of potatoes and a corn silage crop.

Burbank lands are producing 60 to 100 bushels of wheat, 80 to 100 bushels of corn, 400 to 600 bushels of potatoes, 60 to 125 bushels of oats and up to 17 bushels of clover seed per acre.

The purchase price enables you to secure a very substantial increase in value. Other conditions are such that land and equipment investment, cost of producing general farm crops and live stock, and the amount of worry and trouble from labor, bad weather, unhealthy conditions, etc., can be decreased 10 to 75 per cent.

Extra good markets, good schools and churches, telephone and electric light and power, railroad and river transportation; healthy place to live, beautiful surroundings, mountains, rivers, etc.

Railroads, farm publications, bankers, engineers and newspapers indorse the Daniel Hayes lands, irrigation system and business methods.

Join the party from this section. They are taking the special trip to Idaho and Washington, March 5th. Sixty dollars and meals on the train is the total cost. Now is the time to go. You will not be pestered with a bunch of sing-song salesmen. See the land, talk to farmers from your own state. Ask agriculturists, get Government reports, and thoroughly investigate. Make your reservation now.

Phone or see R. B. Fultz, Nachusa Tavern, Dixon, Ill.

The Daniel Hayes Company

The National Farming Corporation
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Hayes Irrigated Farms—The Gold Standard of Land Values.

PUBLIC SALE

CLOSING OUT SALE.

We, the undersigned, will hold a closing out sale on the Remmers farm, 8 miles northeast of Dixon, 9 miles south of Oregon, 2 miles north of Grand Detour on the River road, on

Tuesday, March 5, 1918

Owing to ill-health we will sell the following property of Herbert H. Warner:

12 Head Horses

Consisting of one black team of mares coming 5 and 7 years old; 1 gray mare 10 years old; 1 bay mare 6 years old; 1 sorrel Morgan mare 10 years old; 1 sorrel mare 5 years old; 1 gray gelding coming 3 years old; 1 gray mare coming 3 years old; 2 bay mares coming 2 years old; 2 last spring colts.

50 Head Cattle

16 milch cows, mostly fresh by day of sale; 15 2 year old heifers; 14 yearlings; 11 heifers and 3 steers; 4 fall calves; 1 bull coming 2 years old.

24 Head Full Blooded Poland China Hogs—Consisting of 16 brood sows, bred to full blood hog; 5 old sows and 11 young; 3 barrows weighing 200 lbs. each; 7 late fall pigs.

20 head of very fine sheep, consisting of 19 ewes and 1 buck.

18 tons good timothy hay in barn; 200 bushels good yellow oats; 50 bushels barley; 50 bushels of potatoes; 2 bushels of seed corn; 3 geese; 100 chickens.

Farm Machinery of all kinds. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp. Free lunch at noon, served by Fuls Bros. Stand rights taken.

Usual terms of sale.
HERBERT H. WARNER,
HARRY C. WARNER,
Ira Rutt and D. M. Fahrney,
Auctioneers.
Harry Warner, Clerk.
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CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned will hold a closing out sale of personal property on his farm, known as the Bosworth farm, now part of the Dixon State Colony, adjoining the city limits, North Dixon, on

Thursday, Feb. 28, 1918

The following described personal property:

11 Head Horses, consisting of 1 black gelding 11 years old, weight 1200, good family horse; 1 brown mare in foal, 9 years old, weight 1300, good work mare; 1 bay mare 9 years old, weight 1400, good work mare; 1 brown gelding 7 years old, weight 1100, good topsey driver; 1 pair bay geldings coming 4 years old, broke, weight 2400; 1 bay mare coming 3 years old, weight 1000; 2 horse colts coming 2 years old; 2 yearling colts by Morgan stallion.

26 Head of Cattle: Consisting of 9 choice milch cows, mostly fresh or will be soon; 2 2 1/2 year old heifers; 9 yearling heifers; 6 calves. The above cattle are the cream of 14 years of breeding.

78 Head of Hogs: Consisting of 20 brood sows and 6 gilts; 11 spring shoats, weight 150 pounds; 41 fall pigs, weight 50 pounds; 1 pure bred Duroc Jersey boar, weight 500 pounds.

Also about 80 white and Barred Rock chickens.

Farm Machinery of all kinds. About 6 tons timothy hay in barn. Free lunch at noon, served by Fuls Bros. Sale will commence immediately after.

Usual terms of sale.
BOSWORTH & SHEETS,
George Fruin, Auct.
C. R. Leake, Clerk.
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FOOD PROFITEERS PUNISHED

New York Firm Loses License Because of Sugar Sales.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The license of Moses Newberger of Amsterdam, N. Y., has been revoked, the United States food administration announced, because of sugar sales at more than reasonable figures.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 27.—The license of H. P. Cox, San Francisco grain dealer, was ordered revoked for the period of the war by Food Administrator Hoover. The order was the result of Cox's failure to make deliveries of rice sold last June.

Archbishop Prendergast Dies.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—Archbishop Francis Prendergast died here. He had been ill for some weeks from a complication of diseases. He was seventy years old. Archbishop Prendergast was born in Ireland. He came to the United States when sixteen years of age. He was ordained Roman Catholic priest in 1865. For more than a half century he has been a leader in Roman Catholic church life in this country.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, sniffling, blowing, no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

TROOPS QUELL RIOT IN IRELAND

County Clare Placed Under Martial Law Following Outbreak.

LAWLESSNESS IS SPREADING

Telegraph Wires Cut and Trees Cut Down to Hinder Soldiers—Farms Are Seized by the Rebels.

London, Feb. 27.—The outbreak of lawlessness in County Clare, Ireland, is announced officially, made necessary Sunday the sending of additional troops to the county to assist the police. County Clare has been declared a special area under the defense of the realm act, which is tantamount to martial law.

Rebels Seize Farms.

Recent shipments in London newspapers of all shades of political belief that lawlessness was spreading alarmingly in the west and south of Ireland, were supplemented by the Times' Dublin correspondent.

The police are in daily conflict with lawbreakers.

The telegraph wires have been cut and trees are thrown across the roads daily to hinder the movements of troops and police. Farms are being seized in the name of the Irish republic.

Stop Export of Pigs.

Dublin is particularly startled over the successful attempt of the Sinn Fein to stop the exportation of pigs, which the Sinn Feiners declare it is their intention to continue.

The general belief, the correspondent says, is that the police and troops have received orders to avoid conflicts with lawbreakers, but that if this was intended to preserve the Irish convention atmosphere it has failed lamentably.

Irish Convention Forgotten.

The state of the country now is so serious that the people are wholly absorbed in this and have forgotten the very existence of the Irish convention. The correspondent concludes by saying that if a national government were established tomorrow it would be compelled to begin its functions with a system of coercion.

URGE JAPS ACT IN SIBERIA

British Believe Tirse Has Come to Restore Order.

London, Feb. 27.—In the face of the steadily increasing demoralization of Russia, the opinion that the time has come for Japan to act is growing here. She is the only one of the allied nations which, for geographical reasons, can act, and she has a powerful army, so far unaffected by the war. Those who advocate Japanese intervention in Siberia realize fully that such action would have merely an indirect effect on the main struggle, but they suggest it on the ground of common humanity. There is no doubt here that Japan could establish order in eastern Siberia with a very small display of force, and it is argued that she would thus provide the nucleus of quiet on which whatever elements of order remain in Russia could rally.

BROWNING GUN TRIAL TODAY

Output of Several Thousand Weekly Predicted by June.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The new Browning machine gun, which is declared by army ordnance officers to be the best machine gun yet produced, will be given its first public test at a demonstration here today before Secretary of War Baker, army officers, members of congress and the press. The gun is now being manufactured in three factories. One hundred guns have been delivered. The war department estimates that by June, several thousand guns will be turned out each week for the army. Twenty enlisted machine gunners will give an exhibition test at the Congress Heights rifle range. The gunners will be arranged in line of skirmishers prone, and will open fire semi-automatic, firing at will until one magazine is exhausted.

Read the Telegraph, the paper that has been giving you the news for 68 years, the old and reliable.

Telegraph Want Ads

FOR 25 WORDS OR MORE

1c a Word for 2 Times
3c a Word a Week 6 Times
5c a Word Two Weeks 12 Times
9c a Word a Month 26 Times

WANTED

WANTED. Women wanted full time, salary \$24, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers. 50c an hour spare time. Big Easter business. Experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa. 30sat tf

WANTED—Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon. 36 24

WANTED. Women wanted full time, salary \$24 selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers. \$50c an hour spare time. Big Easter business. Experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa. 30sat tf

WANTED. 2 experienced men to break old boilers. Dixon Iron & Metal Co., 625 W. Second St. 28tf

WANTED. Man to work on dairy farm. A. F. Dillman, Telephone 9310. 38tf

WANTED. Second girl. Apply mornings to Mrs. J. A. Forrest, 312 Ottawa Ave. Phone 814. 41tf

WANTED—Farm work; experienced. Married; family. Phone Y1142. 43 2*

WANTED. Work on farm by two single men by March 1st or 10th. State wages willing to pay for two; ten years' experience; sober men. Kindly let me hear from you at once. Dewitt Jennings, Harvey, Ill. 15417 Wood St. 43 2

WANTED. Apprentice girls. Apply at Mrs. Phil Woolever's Millinery shop. 43 4

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. The business property located at 315 W. First St. Lot 30 ft. on First St and runs back to alley. For terms see John B. Crabtree, Phone 265. 42 4

FOR SALE—Must sell 440 acres; stock, tools and furniture, new buildings, level land, black prairie soil, some timber, good fence, good roads, price \$33,500; easy terms. John Zeman, Macon, Noxubee Co., Miss. 46 26

FOR SALE—A fine lot of thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rocks, bred from the best laying strains that money can buy, price \$2.50, for the choice. For information call on or address: Calvin Johnson, Compton, Lee Co., Ill. 34 12

FOR SALE. 10 pure bred Holstein bulls, ages from 2 months to 2 1/2 years. Dr. C. E. Powell, Polo, Ill. 2 48

FOR SALE—Unusual bargains in land in Minnesota and North Dakota. For particulars write Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn., or Langdon, S. Dakota.

FOR SALE. Choice seed or eating potatoes. Phone Y1130. 43 2*

FOR SALE—Another choice lot of hit and miss rag rugs, \$19 West Sixth st., or phone K1123. 43 2

FOR SALE—Manure for gardens and hot beds. I am prepared to do all kinds of hauling, piano and other moving. Phone X939. 43 2*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms, single or en suite, in desirable location, 3 blocks from court house; family of adults; references exchanged. For interview address K-9, Care Evening Telegraph. 43tf

FOR RENT. A very pleasant furnished room, modern. Call Home Telephone No. 303. 6tf

FOR RENT. 125 acres 1-2 mile east of Dixon court house, 9-room brick house, 2 barns, milk house, windmill, silo, 5 acres of alfalfa (will give seed for more) and clover, orchard; can pay on milk pay days. See J. C. Ayres or write S. R. Harris, 5 N. LaSalle St., Chicago. 36 24

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern in every particular. Inquire of Mrs. A. E. Lesage, 612 E. Fellows St., Telephone K-211. 6 tf

FOR RENT. Cottage on Crawford Ave., furnished or unfurnished. Phone X410. 43 2

FOR RENT. Suite of rooms, or 2 single rooms; all modern conveniences. Mrs. M. J. McGowan. Phone 810. 41 2*

LOST

LOST—A tiger claw, wore on watch chain. Finder please return to George Pappas, 206 W. First St., and receive reward. 42 6*

LOST—Auto tire chain between Dixon and Polo, Monday. Finder please phone 161. Driver, H. L. Davis. 43 2*

LOST, Taupe gray fur scarf, on Sunday morning. Finder please notify Nels Hanson, 411 E. 6th St. and receive reward. 43 2*

WE PRINT—Wedding Invitations, Calling Cards, Letterheads, Programs, Booklets, Catalogs, Sale Bills, For Rent Cards. In fact, anything you want in the job printing line. B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO., Dixon, Illinois

Dr. H. A. Lazjer was in Rochelle Tuesday on business.

Roy Davis of Ottawa was in town Tuesday.

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a glass of Salts to fish Kidneys if Bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders. Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.

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Editor's Note—Because the quotations furnished by the various markets of Dixon do not coincide, the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seem most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Oats, mixed—86. White 84
Corn \$1.00 to \$1.60

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

	Cash	Pay	Sell	Carry
reamery butter		.55	.55	
Dairy butter	.35	.45	.40	
Lard	.28	.34	.32	
Strictly fresh		.35	.45	.40
Eggs		.35	.45	.40
Potatoes, 3 @ 3 1/2 c pound				
Flour	3.00	3.10	2.95	

LIVE POULTRY.

Cocks	.....11c
Young roosters	.....18c
Ducks, White Pekin	.....15c
India Runner Ducks	.....8c
Muscovy Ducks	.....8c
Geese	.....12c
Turkeys	.....20c

TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.		West Bound.	
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago	No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
24 6:41 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun	10:20 a.m.
6 3:28 a.m.	6:45 a.m.	99 7:10 a.m. Sun only	10:26 a.m.
28 7:23 a.m. dly ex Sun	10:40 a.m.	13 10:45 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
18 8:05 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun	3:39 p.m.
10 11:21 a.m.	2:00 p.m.	27 3:45 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:03 p.m.
20 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p.m.	11 6:05 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
4 4:11 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:30 p.m.	25 6:10 p.m.	9:04 p.m.
100 4:15 p.m. Sun only	7:35 p.m.	17 9:40 p.m.	12:11 a.m.
12 6:10 p.m.	8:45 p.m.	7 10:00 p.m.	12:23 a.m.
		3 11:20 p.m.	2:16 a.m.
		No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
		801 8:30 a.m.	12:05 p.m.

*No. 11 stops only for passengers for Marshalltown, Ia., or beyond. xTrain 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. *Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.		North Bound.	
No. Southern Exp.	11:10 a.m.	132 Ft. Dodge Exp.*	9:53 a.m.
131 Clinton Exp.* <td>5:09 p.m.</td> <td>124 Local Mail Dly. <td>5:35 p.m.</td> </td>	5:09 p.m.	124 Local Mail Dly. <td>5:35 p.m.</td>	5:35 p.m.
		Freeport Freight* <td>12:30 p.m.</td>	12:30 p.m.

TIME THE MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of closing all mail forwarded to the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the postoffice ten minutes preceding the locking or closing time to insure its dispatch.

Train	East Mail	Time
No. 6	3:00 a.m.
No. 28	6:55 a.m.
No. 4	3:50 p.m.
No. 12	5:40 p.m.
No. 20	10:40 a.m.

West Mail.	
No. 5	..... 9:55 a.m.
No. 13	..... 12:55 p.m.
No. 27	..... 6:40 p.m.
No. 9	..... 8:35 p.m.
No. 15 3:00 a.m.

South Mail	
No. 123 10:40 a.m.
No. 131 4:50 p.m.

North Mail	
No. 132 9:30 a.m.
No. 124 4:50 p.m.

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ONE DEAD, 30 HURT IN GALE

Hurricane Hits New York and Sinks Several Ships in Harbor.

New York, Feb. 27.—One man was killed in a hurricane which swept New York and the vicinity; two others were reported missing and are believed to be dead, and about thirty persons, including a score of women and children, were injured. Damage done by the wind, which included the sinking of several ships in the harbor, the demolition of a building, the uprooting of telegraph poles, the overturning of wagons and the killing of several horses, and the destruction of hundreds of plateglass windows in stores and private dwellings all over the city, was estimated by the police at upward of a million dollars. The wind came from the north, reaching a velocity of 81 miles an hour.

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	Cost of Dealer	Retailer's Profit
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ugar, granulated	8.00 per cwt.	1 to 2c per lb.
Navy beans	1.5c per lb.	2 to 4c per lb.
Lima beans, per lb.	.14 1-2 to 15c	2 to 4c per lb.
Milk, evaporated	6.10 per case	1 to 3c per can
Milk, condensed	8.4 per case	1 to 4c per can
Pure lard, per lb.	.28	4 to 6c per lb.
Lard compounds, per lb.	.24c	4 to 6c per lb.
Bacon, per lb.	.3 1-4 to 41c	4 to 8c per lb.
Butterine, per lb.	.21 to 30 1-2c	3 to 5c per lb.
	.3 extra for slicing.	
Corn meal, per lb.	4 1-2	3-4 to 1 1-2c per lb.
Prunes, per lb.	.15 to 16c	2 to 4c per lb.
Rice, per lb.	.8 to 16c	2 to 4c per lb.
Pink salmon, per doz.	2.0 to 2.15	3 to 5c per can
Red salmon, per doz.	2.6 to 3.00	3 to 5c per can
Creamery butter, per lb.	.50	3 to 7c per lb.
Cheese, brick or cream, per lb.	.2 to 30c	4 to 9c per lb.
Eggs, fresh		4 to 8c per doz.

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Snyder's large bottle Catsup, per bottle.....	27c
Buckwheat Pan Cake Flour, per pkg.....	11c
Armour's White Flyer Soap, per bar.....	5c
A fancy Coffee, extra special, per lb.....	20c
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Pure Tuna Fish, 1-2 lb. cans.....	20c
No. 2 1-2 cans fancy sliced Peaches.....	23c
No. 2 cans Black Raspberries, per can.....	20c
No. 2 cans Loganberries, per can.....	20c
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CLOSING OUT SALE

The undersigned will hold a closing-out sale on the farm of the former, which is now part of the Dixon Colony for Epileptics, on February 28th.—A. H. Bosworth and L. F. Sheets. 41tf

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MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918

Commencing at 1 o'clock, sharp, and will sell the following property: 3 head of horses, 16 head of cattle, 3 Duroc brood sows, 2 sets of work harness, farm machinery of all descriptions, 50 chickens, 6 tons of timothy hay. Free lunch at noon.

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German Silver.

German silver is manufactured in three general ways, according to Popular Science Monthly. It is composed of nickel, copper and zinc in varying proportions. The German method is to melt all the copper to be used in the mixture, and two-thirds of the nickel and zinc in a graphite crucible and then add the rest of the nickel and zinc. In the English method the copper, nickel and zinc are melted all at one time, then more copper and zinc are added. Should the metal appear porous, a fireclay pipe containing pitch is pushed into the metal mixture to deoxidize it. There are several American methods. One is to melt a copper-nickel alloy and then gradually add the preheated zinc. In another method monel metal is used as a base.

What They Ask.

There's no objection to a fellow losing his heart, but nine times out of ten his close friends and confidants would be much obliged to him if he'd refrain from losing his mind at the same time.—Macon Telegraph.

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WRITTEN RECORD OF ATROCITIES

Diaries of German Soldiers Tell of Murder and Pillage in Belgian Cities.

CALLED "DISGRACE TO ARMY"

No Discrimination Made Between Innocent and Guilty—Infants Shot in Dead Mothers' Arms—Testimony of Brand Whitlock.

Very many German soldiers who have been taken prisoner had kept diaries, and these have been confiscated by the captors. Many have been published, frequently with facsimile reproductions to guarantee their authenticity. The following extracts, with the testimony of Brand Whitlock, are made public by the committee on public information at Washington:

"Aug. 23. . . Our men came back and said that at the point where the valley joined the Meuse we could not get any further, as the villagers were shooting at us from every house. We shot the whole lot—16 of them. They were drawn up in three ranks; the same shot did for three at a time.

. . . The men had already shown their brutal instincts: . . .

"The sight of the bodies of all the inhabitants who had been shot was indescribable. Every house in the whole village was destroyed. We dragged the villagers one after another out of the most unlikely corners. The men were shot as well as the women and children who were in the convent, since shots had been fired from the convent windows; and we burnt it afterwards.

"The inhabitants might have escaped the penalty by handing over the guilty and paying 15,000 francs.

"The inhabitants fired on our men again. The division took drastic steps to stop this, the villages being burnt and the inhabitants being shot.

The pretty little village of Gue d'Ossus, however, was apparently set on fire without cause. A cyclist fell off his machine and his rifle went off. He immediately said he had been shot at. All the inhabitants were burnt in the houses. I hope there will be no more such horrors.

"Disgrace to Our Army."

"At Lepe apparently 200 men were shot. There must have been some innocent men among them. In future we shall have to hold an inquiry as to their guilt instead of shooting them.

"In the evening we marched to Maubert-Fontaine. Just as we were having our meal the alarm was sounded—everyone is very jumpy.

"September 3. Still at Rethel, on guard over prisoners. . . The houses are charming inside. The middle class in France has magnificent furniture. We found stylish pieces everywhere and beautiful silk, but in what a state . . .

Good God! . . . Every bit of furniture broken, mirrors smashed. The Vandals themselves could not have done more damage. This place is a disgrace to our army. The inhabitants who fled could not have expected, of course, that all their goods would have been left intact after so many troops had passed. But the column commanders are responsible for the greater part of the damage, as they could have prevented the looting and destruction. The damage amounts to millions of marks; even the safes have been attacked.

"In a solicitor's house, in which, as luck would have it, all was in excellent taste, including a collection of old lace and Eastern works of art, everything was smashed to bits.

"I could not resist taking a little memento myself here and there. . . One house was particularly elegant, everything in the best taste. The hall was of light oak; I found a splendid raincoat under the staircase and a camera for Felix." (From the diary of an officer in the One Hundred Seventy-eighth regiment, Twelfth Saxony corps.)

But his horror apparently was not shared by the German commander in chief, as is evident from the following:

"To the People of Liege.

"The population of Andenne, after making a display of peaceful intentions toward our troops, attacked them in the most treacherous manner. With my authorization, the general commanding these troops has reduced the town to ashes and has had 110 persons shot.

"I bring this fact to the knowledge of the people of Liege in order that they may know what fate to expect should they adopt a similar attitude.

"Liege, 22d August, 1914.

"GENERAL VON BUELOW."

Brand Whitlock Writes of Massacres. In his report of September 12, 1917, to the secretary of state, Minister Whitlock has much to tell of the policy of frightfulness. The following passages refer to the subject of massacres:

"Summary executions took place (at Dinant) without the least semblance of judgment. The names and number of the victims are not known, but they must be numerous. I have been unable to obtain precise details in this respect and the number of persons who have fled is unknown. Among the

persons who were shot are: Mr. De-foln, mayor of Dinant; Sasserath, first alderman; Nimmer, aged seventy; Consul for the Argentine Republic Victor Poncellet, who was executed in the presence of his wife and seven children; Wasseige and his two sons; Messrs. Gustave and Leon Nicaise, two very old men; Jules Monin and others all shot in the cellar of their brewery; Mr. Camille Pistte and son, aged seventeen; Philippart Piedfort, his wife and daughter; Miss Marsigny. During the execution of about forty inhabitants of Dinant the Germans placed before the condemned their wives and children. It is thus that Madam Albin who had just given birth to a child, three days previously, was brought on a mattress by German soldiers to witness the execution of her husband; her cries and supplications were so pressing that her husband's life was spared."

"On the 26th of August German soldiers entered various streets (of Louvain) and ordered the inhabitants of the houses to proceed to the Place de la Station, where the bodies of nearly a dozen assassinated persons were lying. Women and children were separated from the men and forced to remain on the Place de la Station during the whole day. They had to witness the execution of many of their fellow citizens, who were for the most part shot at the side of the square, near the house of Mr. Hemaide. The women and children, after having remained on the square for more than 15 hours, were allowed to depart. The Gardes Civiques of Louvain were also taken prisoners and sent to Germany, to the camp of Munster, where they were held for several weeks.

"On Thursday, August 27, order was given to the inhabitants to leave Louvain because the city was to be bombarded. Old men, women, children, the sick, priests, nuns, were driven on the roads like cattle. More than 10,000 of the inhabitants were driven as far as Tirlemont, nearly 12 miles from Louvain.

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"One scene surpasses in horror all others; it is the fusillade of the Rocher Bayard near Dinant. It appears to have been ordered by Colonel Meister. This fusillade made many victims among the nearby parishes, especially those of des Rivages and Naffe. It caused the death of nearly 90 persons, without distinction of age or sex. Among the victims were babies in arms, boys and girls, fathers and mothers of families, even old men.

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persons who were shot are: Mr. De-foln, mayor of Dinant; Sasserath, first alderman; Nimmer, aged seventy; Consul for the Argentine Republic Victor Poncellet, who was executed in the presence of his wife and seven children; Wasseige and his two sons; Messrs. Gustave and Leon Nicaise, two very old men; Jules Monin and others all shot in the cellar of their brewery; Mr. Camille Pistte and son, aged seventeen; Philippart Piedfort, his wife and daughter; Miss Marsigny. During the execution of about forty inhabitants of Dinant the Germans placed before the condemned their wives and children. It is thus that Madam Albin who had just given birth to a child, three days previously, was brought on a mattress by German soldiers to witness the execution of her husband; her cries and supplications were so pressing that her husband's life was spared."

"On the 26th of August German soldiers entered various streets (of Louvain) and ordered the inhabitants of the houses to proceed to the Place de la Station, where the bodies of nearly a dozen assassinated persons were lying. Women and children were separated from the men and forced to remain on the Place de la Station during the whole day. They had to witness the execution of many of their fellow citizens, who were for the most part shot at the side of the square, near the house of Mr. Hemaide. The women and children, after having remained on the square for more than 15 hours, were allowed to depart. The Gardes Civiques of Louvain were also taken prisoners and sent to Germany, to the camp of Munster, where they were held for several weeks.

"On Thursday, August 27, order was given to the inhabitants to leave Louvain because the city was to be bombarded. Old men, women, children, the sick, priests, nuns, were driven on the roads like cattle. More than 10,000 of the inhabitants were driven as far as Tirlemont, nearly 12 miles from Louvain.

"Infants Shot in Mothers' Arms. "One of the most sorely tried communities was that of the little village of Taminies, down in what is known as the Borinage, the coal fields near Charleroi. Taminies is a mining village in the Sambre; it is a collection of small cottages sheltering about 5,000 inhabitants, mostly all poor laborers.

"The little graveyard in which the church stands bears its mute testimony to the horror of the event. There are hundreds of new-made graves, each with its small wooden cross and its bit of flowers; the crosses are so closely huddled that there is scarcely room to walk between them. The crosses are alike and all bear the same date, the sinister date of August 22, 1914."

"But whether their hands were cut off or not, whether they were impaled on bayonets or not, children were shot down, by military order, in cold blood. In the awful crime of the Rock of Bayard, there overlooking the Meuse before Dinant, infants in their mothers' arms were shot down without mercy. The deed, never surpassed in cruelty by any band of savages, is described by the bishop of Namur himself:

"One scene surpasses in horror all others; it is the fusillade of the Rocher Bayard near Dinant. It appears to have been ordered by Colonel Meister. This fusillade made many victims among the nearby parishes, especially those of des Rivages and Naffe. It caused the death of nearly 90 persons, without distinction of age or sex. Among the victims were babies in arms, boys and girls, fathers and mothers of families, even old men.

Dead Children in Pile of Bodies. "It was there that 12 children under the age of six perished from the fire of the executioners, six of them as they lay in their mothers' arms."

"The child Fievet, three weeks old."

"Maurice Betems, eleven months old."

"Nelly Pollet, eleven months old."

"Gilda Genon, eighteen months old."

"Gilda Marchot, two years old."

"Clara Struvay, two years and six months."